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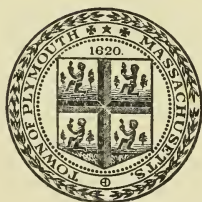
TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

For the Year Ending December 31

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1920.

Selectmen—William T. Eldridge, Ephraim D. Bartlett, George W. Bradford, Dexter H. Craig, and William M. Douglass.

Town Clerk—George B. Howland.

Town Treasurer—George B. Howland.

Collector of Taxes—Herbert W. Bartlett.

Town Accountant—Elmer R. Harlow.

Assessors—George Harlow, chosen 1918 for three years; James C. Bates, chosen 1919 for three years; Nathaniel G. Lanman, chosen 1920 for three years.

Overseers of the Poor—Herbert W. Bartlett, chosen 1918 for three years; Charles A. Strong, chosen 1919 for three years; William T. Eldridge, chosen 1920 for three years.

Water Commissioners—John W. Churchill and Robert C. Harlow, chosen 1918 for three years; John H. Damon, chosen 1919 for three years; Eugene H. Dorr and William R. Morton, chosen 1920 for three years.

School Committee—Helen F. Pierce, chosen 1918 for three years; Edward W. Bradford, chosen 1919 for three years; Frederick D. Bartlett, chosen 1920 for three years.

Cemetery Commissioners—George Mabbett, chosen 1918 for three years, deceased August 20, 1920; and Arthur E. Blackmer elected to fill vacancy; Henry W. Barnes, chosen 1919 for three years; Horace M. Saunders, chosen 1920 for three years.

Burial Hill Committee—Cemetery Commissioners.

Agawam and Halfway Pond Herring Fishery Committee—Warren S. Gale, Frank Harlow and Alfred Holmes.

Park Commissioners—John Russell, chosen 1918 for three years; William H. Beever, chosen 1919 for three years; Benjamin F. Raymond, chosen 1920 for three years.

Board of Health—Harry R. Talbot, chosen 1918 for three years; George H. Jackson, chosen 1919 for three years; Herbert S. Maxwell, chosen 1920 for three years.

Surveyors and Measurers of Lumber—Alvin A. Hall, Cornelius C. Holmes and Warren S. Bumpus.

Surveyor of Wood and Bark—Alfred C. Finney.

Planning Board—Arthur Lord, LeBaron R. Barker, Francis C. Holmes, George Mabbett and Arthur E. Blackmer.

Field Drivers and Fence Viewers—Charles H. Raymond and Lewis F. Smith.

Sexton—Thomas J. Kennedy.

Pound Keeper—Russell L. Dickson.

Committee on Inland Fisheries—James S. Clark, Warren S. Gale and Geoffrey D. Perrior.

Scaler of Weights and Measures—Frank L. St. George, deceased August 20, 1920 and Lewis F. Smith appointed to fill vacancy.

Beach Committee—Selectmen.

Superintendent of Streets—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Superintendent of Water Works—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Collector of Water Rates—N. Reeves Jackson.

Harbor Master—Alfred Holmes.

Board of Registration—George F. Anderson, appointed 1918 for three years; Charles H. Sherman, appointed 1919 for three years; Herbert W. Clark, appointed 1920 for three years.

Superintendent of Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries and Burial Hill—Edward F. Stranger.

Superintendent of Chiltonville Cemetery—Charles Rogers.

Superintendent of Manomet Cemetery—George A. Manter.

Superintendent of Cedarville Cemetery—James L. Haskell.

Superintendent of Almshouse—Russell L. Dickson.

Fire Commissioner—Robert C. Harlow.

Town Engineer—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Chief of Police—John Armstrong.

Tree Warden—Abbott A. Raymond.

Forest Warden—Ira C. Ward.

Local Moth Superintendent—Abbott A. Raymond.

Committee on Sewers—Selectmen.

ABSTRACTS OF RECORDS OF 1920.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 27, 1920.

CHARLES S. DAVIS, *Moderator*.

Article three:

On motion of William T. Eldridge: voted, that the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the town be accepted and placed on file.

Article four:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen or a majority thereof to borrow during the financial year beginning January 1, 1921, in anticipation of the revenue of said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the town, giving the notes of the town therefor payable within one year from the dates thereof. All debts incurred under the authority of this vote shall be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, to take up Article nineteen, for consideration.

Mr. Edward L. Burgess then moved: that the salary of the Chairman of the Selectmen be increased to \$900.00 a year, and that it is inexpedient to increase the salaries of the other members of the board.

Mr. Morton Collingwood moved: to amend by striking out

“and that it is inexpedient to increase the salaries of other members of the board” and adding and of the other Selectmen to \$300.00 a year. But the motion was lost.

The motion of Mr. Burgess was then put before the meeting and carried.

Article six:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: it was unanimously voted, that the sum of \$4,000.00 including the dog fund of 1919, amounting to \$1,097.00, be appropriated for the maintenance of the Plymouth Public Library.

Article seven:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: it was unanimously voted, that the sum of \$250.00 be appropriated in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article eight:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: it was unanimously voted, that the following appropriations be made:

Parks,	\$3,950 00
Cutting wood in Parks,	500 00
Training Green,	300 00
Stephens Field,	150 00

Article nine:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: it was unanimously voted, that the town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$225.00 to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article ten:

Mr. Edward L. Burgess then moved: that the town appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for the aid of the Plymouth County Farm Bureau. Sixty-six voting in the affirmative and two in the negative, more than two-thirds voting in the affirmative the motion was carried.

Article eleven:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the sum of \$3,500.00 be appropriated for the purpose of resurfacing the westerly side of Main Street, and that part of Town Square below the westerly line of Market Street, according to the plans of the Selectmen.

Article twelve:

To see if the town will appropriate the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars to be used for concrete construction on bridge over Eel River.

On motion of William T. Eldridge: voted, that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article thirteen:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the sum of \$700.00 be appropriated for deepening the bed of Eel River below Warren Avenue Bridge, such sum to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article fourteen:

To see if the town will appropriate the sum of seven hundred (700) dollars to be expended on Bartlett Road in Manomet in building a permanent road.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that further consideration of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Articles fifteen, sixteen and seventeen:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that further consideration of these articles be indefinitely postponed, as the substance of these articles was taken up under Article five.

Article eighteen:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate, from money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the following amounts, for payments of bills contracted in 1919.

Law Department,	\$130 00
Assessors' Department,	70 00
Fire Department,	436 63
Sewer Department,	24 45

Article twenty:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town authorize the closing of the Town House on Wednesday evenings during the months of July and August.

Article twenty-one:

To see if the town will accept Chapter 423, Acts of Mass. for 1909 and amendments thereto, relative to the sale of ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's Day.

Mr. Edward L. Burgess: moved, that further consideration of this article be indefinitely postponed. But the motion was lost.

Mr. John L. Morton: moved, that the town accept Chapter 423, Acts of Massachusetts for 1909 and amendments thereto relative to the sale of ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's Day. And the motion was carried.

Mr. William S. Kyle: moved, that Article three be taken up. Fifty-one voting in the affirmative and fourteen in the negative, the motion was carried. A report was asked for from the Town Hall Committee, but no action was taken.

Article twenty-two:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town authorize the use for cemetery purposes a lot on South Street near Brailey's Lane.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the sum of \$386,139.40 be raised and assessed upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, and upon the estates of the non-residents, to defray the expenses of the town for the ensuing year.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, to adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, MAY 29, 1920.

CHARLES S. DAVIS, *Moderator*.

Article two:

To hear the report of the Town Hall Committee and see what action the town will take thereon.

Mr. Henry Walton: moved, that the report of the committee as printed be accepted and that the committee be instructed to keep in touch with the building situation through the architect and when the time arrives that a contract can be made insuring the erection of the memorial building proposed, that they do so.

Mr. Charles H. Raymond: moved, that further consideration of this article be indefinitely postponed, but the motion was lost.

The motion of Mr. Walton was then put before the meeting and carried.

Article three:

To see what action the town will take in regard to the erection of a Town Hall and furnishings for the same and to make an appropriation therefor, and to authorize the issue of notes or bonds of the town for said purpose, and to reconsider or rescind any vote heretofore passed by the town in regard to the same.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article four:

Mr. Edward L. Burgess: moved, that the town accept Chapter 240 of the Acts of 1920, sixty-eight voting in the affirmative and ten in the negative, the motion was carried.

Article five:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to be placed at the disposal of

the Selectmen for entertainment purposes during the present and next succeeding financial year.

Article six:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the salaries of the Assessors be fixed at one thousand dollars, and that the town appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to meet the increase.

On motion of George B. Howland: voted, that the sum of \$5,300.00 be raised and assessed upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth and upon the estates of the non-residents, to defray the expenses of the town for the ensuing year.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, to adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JULY 24, 1920.

ARTHUR LORD, *Moderator.*

Article two:

Mr. Edward L. Burgess: moved, that the town appropriate the sum of ten thousand five hundred twenty-six and 26-100 dollars to be used for the payment of bill of the architect on account of working drawings and specifications for the Town Hall, but the motion was lost.

Article three:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars for the use of the Tercentenary Committee.

On motion of George B. Howland: voted, that the sum of

five thousand dollars be raised and assessed upon the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, and upon the estates of the non-residents, to defray the expenses of the town for the ensuing year.

On motion of William T. Eldridge: voted, to adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, AUGUST 7, 1920.

ARTHUR LORD, *Moderator.*

Article two:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate the sum of ten thousand five hundred twenty-six and 26-100 dollars for payment of bill of the architects for services on account of working drawings and specifications for the Town Hall.

Article three:

To see if the town will authorize the transfer of the sum of two hundred dollars received from the sale of the Chiltonville Grammar School building, to the School Department appropriation, to be used for improving the Lincoln Street grounds.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that no action be taken under this article.

On motion of George B. Howland: voted, that the sum of ten thousand five hundred twenty-six and 26-100 be raised and assessed upon the inhabitants of the Town of Plymouth, and upon the estates of the non-residents, to defray the expenses of the town for the ensuing year.

On motion of William T. Eldridge: voted, to adjourn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, DECEMBER 30, 1920.

ARTHUR LORD, *Moderator*.

Article two:

To see if the town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of one hundred eighty-one dollars for election and registration.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that no action be taken under this article.

Article three:

To see if the town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of one hundred forty dollars for maintenance of the Town House.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that no action be taken under this article.

Article four:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of three hundred fifty dollars for the Police Department.

Article five:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of seven thousand dollars for the School Department.

Article six:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five hundred dollars for Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries.

Article seven:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of fifty dollars for Burial Hill.

Article eight:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of seven hundred sixty-four and 03-100 dollars for Town Debt and Interest.

Article nine:

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town appropriate as provided in section 7, Chapter 591, Acts of 1920; to Roads and Bridges, reimbursement in the sum of eighteen hundred sixty-three dollars for labor and materials paid from that appropriation used on North Park Avenue and in front of the railroad station; and to granolithic sidewalks all reimbursements for granolithic construction during the year.

Article ten:

To see if the town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to use for other purposes, incident to the Tercentenary celebration, such portion of the appropriation already made by the town for entertainment purposes, as they may deem advisable.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that the town take no action under this article.

Article eleven:

To see if the town will rescind its vote of October 11, 1919, making an appropriation for building a Town Hall.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that further consideration of this article be postponed until some future meeting.

ARRANGE BUDGET FOR CELEBRATION

Plymouth to Raise \$50,000 for Tercentenary.

PLYMOUTH, March 21.—Saturday evening the executive committee of the Plymouth tercentenary committee prepared the budget of the expenses of the town for the big celebration this year, including Plymouth day, Aug. 1.

The budget is as follows: Invitations, \$500; meals for invited guests, \$2500; meals for sailors, \$6000; entertainment for sailors, \$2000; amplifier, \$2000.

Parade, music, \$2000; prizes, military division, \$125; civic division, \$125; industrial division, \$125; automobile division, \$125; town floats, \$500; incidentals, mounts, sidecars, badges, printing, \$1000; incidentals, \$3000.

Band concerts, four of Pilgrim band, \$2000; eight other concerts, \$2000; vocal concerts, \$1500; bandstand \$500; administration, first aid and information headquarters, \$6000; Pilgrim procession, \$1000; Indian camps, \$2000; occasional observances, including July 4, with fireworks and sports, \$2000.

Decorations, 24 banners with names of Pilgrims hung across Court and Sandwich streets, \$1200; six large banners, 30 feet long, for center of town, \$360; four big net banners with Mayflower for entrance to town, \$500; 19 public and historic buildings, Railroad avenue, Town square and Training green decorated, \$1940.

Publicity, large bulletin board opposite postoffice on Main street extension for general information, \$1000; incidentals, \$4000.

The total sum is \$50,000. There is now \$10,000 available which was previously appropriated, making the amount to be appropriated by the town \$40,000. This matter of appropriation will come up Saturday at the annual town meeting.



Article twelve:

To see if the town will rescind its vote of October 11, 1919, to erect a suitable Town Hall, as a memorial building, with town offices.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, that further consideration of this article be postponed until some future meeting.

Article thirteen:

To see what action the town will take in regard to the erection of a Town Hall and furnishings for the same, to make an appropriation therefor, and to authorize the issue of notes or bonds of the town for said purpose.

On motion of Henry Walton: voted, that further consideration of this article be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Edward L. Burgess: voted, to adjourn.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

In presenting this Annual Report of the acts of the Selectmen for the past year we wish to call attention, not only to what has been done, but also to what will have to be done, to rehabilitate the Town after the very extensive alterations, which the work of the Tercentenary Commission will make. It is utterly useless to bemoan the lack of foresight which caused the Town to acquiesce in these changes without some guarantee that suitable substitutions should be made for the facilities taken away. It is now the duty of the Town to devise and prepare something to take the place of our vanishing wharves and water facilities. The water borne freight, which has been a factor in the business of the Community and the fishing interests (larger than most people suppose), must be provided with proper landing places or we shall find ourselves with an ever-tightening net of increased charges about us. It is perhaps difficult to say just what should be done, but several of our most earnest and patriotic citizens are at work on this problem, and the result of their labors when given to the Town will be well worth the very careful consideration of our voters.

During the past year the Town has made several improvements in its travelled ways. The Town, at the last annual meeting, made a special appropriation for surfacing Water street and building a sidewalk from the Depot to Brewster street. This has been completed and has resulted in a very decided improvement, both in appearance and utility.

In the Spring of 1920 it was thought advisable to put the work of the road department and the Water department under

one head, as these operations were more or less interlocking. This was done and Arthur E. Blackmer, the Superintendent of the Water Department, was placed in charge. This has proved to be a most excellent arrangement, both in economy to the Town and in efficiency for the departments. The details of the work on Highways will be found farther on in the report of the Superintendent.

It was intended to make repairs of a permanent nature to the bridge on Warren Avenue, at Eel River, but by the advice of the Chairman of the Board of Public Works for the State, the matter was put over to this year, as he intimated that Legislation was pending that might take care of such problems as that. We have not yet, however, had any assurance that this will take place and it may be necessary for the Town to do this work.

The activities of the Police Department have been augmented in the past year by the peculiar conditions created by the National Prohibition Act of last July. A number of criminals of this type have been apprehended and punished, but the possibilities of profit in this business are so great that there are still many weak-principled parties who are willing to take the chances of arrest for the gain involved. Conditions are, however, improving, and with the increasing difficulty of getting supplies, there will be a gradual diminution of their number.

The electric lighting situation is somewhat involved at the present time. The Company that supplies us has ceased manufacturing and is delivering current from outside sources. There has been some difficulty in maintaining the service at its highest efficiency and a number of plans have been submitted by the Company for bringing this current into Town with a view to improving the situation, but as yet no plan that the Selectmen feel that they can approve has been presented. Probably this will be worked out in time.

The removal of Cappannari Bros. from their Water Street location to the corner of Water and Union streets, presents an opportunity for a much needed widening at that point. A substantial strip of land has been taken from the Water Street side curving into Union Street opposite the Plymouth Foundry Co., much relieving the curve at that point, and the new Cappannari buildings, are being placed so that a further widening can be made there when convenient. It will be necessary at no distant time to widen the whole length of Union Street where it fronts the foundry property. This street, with Lincoln Street, will be increasingly travelled, as it gives the most direct route to the railroad from the South, this at the same time relieving Sandwich and Main Streets of some of their overload.

The only new construction contemplated is Oak Street. This street carries a very heavy truck travel to and from the railroad, and can no longer be maintained as a gravel road. We recommend an appropriation for a stone road similar to Railroad Avenue. This will relieve the Department of Highways from a very considerable expense for repairing.

It is intended to resurface a number of the gravel streets that formerly were repaired with gravel, with an application of Tarvia and pea stone which method was used on Market and Pleasant Streets and was apparently very successful. The expense of this is very small and even if it has to be renewed every year (which does not seem likely), it is cheaper than the old plan of gravelling, as well as providing a better street to ride over as well as one that is dustless.

Sewers have been extended as far as the needs have appeared and the appropriation would warrant. It is good policy to increase the Sewer facilities as much as possible, both as regards the convenience of the property owner and the public health. It is hoped to get all of the Town that possibly can be, sewered eventually.

The celebration of the coming summer will require all of our best efforts to make it an affair creditable to the Town and its citizens. Much will be expected by the visiting public, and it will be necessary for the Town to provide funds for the absolutely necessary expense incident to carrying out the plans prepared for the Town's participation. It is to be hoped that the Town will make suitable provision for this at the coming Meeting.

During the past Summer we have had several public functions related to this matter. The most important, as regards the recognition by the world at large, of our Tercentenary being the visit of Mr. A. N. Hollely who came as the accredited representative of the City of Plymouth, England, and in behalf of that municipality presented us with an illuminated address of greeting and good will. The ceremony of presentation was held in the Old Colony Theatre and was a very enjoyable occasion. Mr. Hollely made an impressive address and the kindly expression of good will was much appreciated. The illuminated address from his city is now hung on the wall in the Selectmen's room in the Town House and it is hoped that the Town may at the coming Meeting make a suitable reply.

The celebration of Forefathers' Day was a very successful event. The address by Senator Lodge was a masterly one and will live in history as one of the great speeches of the century. The other functions of the day were very appropriate to the occasion and were enjoyed by as many people as could get into the theatre.

The Town Hall proposition remains in its original position. Prices are still prohibitive and until such time as values decline will prevent the building of the hall.

The Lothrop House, which it was the sentiment of the Town should be turned over to the Antiquarian Society and moved to the lower end of the lot, has been allowed to remain in its

original location pending such time as the lot would be required for the new hall. This place has been the subject of much favorable comment from visitors and the Selectmen have had a number of commendatory letters from out-of-town people who have visited it and have expressed their appreciation in that manner.

In conclusion the Board wishes to express its satisfaction in the conduct of the different Departments of the Town in the past year.

WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
EPHRAIM D. BARTLETT,
DEXTER H. CRAIG,
GEORGE W. BRADFORD,
WILLIAM M. DOUGLASS.

APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS.

Selectmen's Department,	\$2,200 00
Accounting Department,	1,700 00
Treasury Department,	1,500 00
Tax Collector's Department,	2,150 00
Assessors' Department,	5,200 00
Assessors' Plans,	500 00
Law Department,	800 00
Town Clerk's Department,	850 00
Engineering Department,	900 00
Street Line Survey,	150 00
Planning Board,	100 00
Election and Registration,	1,000 00
Maintenance of Town House,	2,000 00
Police Department,	23,000 00
Police Department, for Uniforms,	1,500 00
Police Department, for New Auto,	2,200 00
Fire Department,	26,285 00
Fire Department, for New Tires, etc.,	1,000 00
Sealing Weights and Measures,	1,000 00
Moth Suppression,	6,000 00
Tree Warden's Department,	2,500 00
Tree Warden's Department, Planting Shade Trees,	500 00
Forest Warden's Department,	2,500 00
Shell Fish Department,	600 00
Inland Fisheries,	200 00
Rifle Range, for Changes and Repairs,	500 00
Plymouth County Farm Bureau,	250 00
Plymouth County Hospital, Maintenance,	5,733 53
Health Department,	12,750 00
Public Sanitarries,	600 00
Public Sanitarries (New),	7,000 00
Sewer Department,	5,000 00

Roads and Bridges,	40,000 00
Court Street Drain,	5,000 00
Oak Street Macadam,	5,500 00
Sidewalks, Maintenance,	3,000 00
Sidewalks, Granolithic,	3,000 00
Sidewalk on Easterly Side of Warren Avenue,	2,500 00
Snow and Ice Removal,	4,000 00
Street Sprinkling,	4,500 00
Street Lighting,	13,500 00
Harbor Master,	150 00
Poor Department,	14,500 00
Mothers' Aid,	5,500 00
Military Aid,	57 00
Soldiers' Relief,	7,231 01
School Department,	200,485 00
Plymouth Public Library	
(Including Dog Tax \$1,230.60)	4,500 00
Manomet Public Library,	500 00
Park Department,	4,200 00
Park Department, Cutting Wood in Park,	300 00
Training Green,	300 00
Stephens Field,	300 00
Stephens Field for Athletic Field,	3,000 00
Providing Headquarters for	
Plymouth Post No. 40, American Legion,	1,125 00
Observance of Pilgrim Tercentenary,	50,000 00
Sexton,	125 00
Memorial Day,	225 00
Miscellaneous Account,	2,800 00
Reserve Account,	5,000 00
Water Department, Maintenance,	19,000 00
Water Department, Construction,	1,200 00
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries,	10,000 00
Burial Hill Cemetery,	1,700 00
Burial Hill Cemetery, for Improvements,	1,500 00
Chiltonville, Manomet, Cedarville and	
South Pond Cemeteries,	300 00
Town Debt and Interest,	50,000 00
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REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS AND TOWN ENGINEER.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith the following report of the Street Department for the year ending December 31st, 1920, showing somewhat in detail the work done during the past year.

NEW EQUIPMENT.

A "Ford" one-ton truck chassis and cab was purchased in May, at a cost of \$815.00. The chassis was equipped with a dump body at a cost of \$110.00, and this machine has been very useful during the season.

A steam scarifier, attached to the steam roller and operated by the roller engineer, was purchased from the Buffalo Pitts Co., at a cost of \$1,050.00. This apparatus has been almost indispensable in the work of scarifying the bituminous roads that have been resurfaced the past year, and will prove very useful in scarifying and reshaping gravel roads at a minimum cost, especially if the treatment of Tarvia "B" and Pea Stone for gravel roads, as recommended in another part of this report, is continued on a larger scale during 1921.

The following table summarizes the street work carried out during the past year and the subsequent pages give a cost analysis of each job more in detail.

Location	Nature of Work	Area in Sq. Yds.	Cost
Water St., north to Depot	Resurfaced with 2 1/2 in. stone	4,960	\$6,420.00
Sandwich St., from Stevens	" " 2 1/2 "	4,830	5,848.00
Sandwich Road, (Jabez Cor. to Hospital)	Rebuilt " 2 1/2 "	3,608	5,137.00
South Depot Ave.	" " 2 1/2 "	1,590	1,903.00
North Depot Ave.	" " 2 1/2 "	1,667	1,865.00
Water St. Ext., (to freight yard entrance.)	" 2 1/2 " (and Rubble)	1,320	2,505.00
Court St., Cherry to Russell Ave. Tarvia	"A" & 1 1/2 "	7,000	2,141.00
Darby Road (shoulder)	" "X" " 2 "	580	529.00
Darby Road	" "B" " Sand	29,000	1,332.00
Point Road	" "B" " Sand		236.00
White Horse Road	" "B" " Sand	1,580	112.00
Bartlett Road	" "B" " Sand		100.00
Billington St.	" "B" " Sand	5,466	423.00
Market St.	" "B" " Pea Stone	2,663	362.00
Pleasant and South Sts.	" "B" " Pea Stone	4,983	745.00
Main St., and Town Square	"SIMASCO"	1,791	4,477.00
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			\$34,135.00

WATER STREET RESURFACING FROM CRAIG'S
WHARF TO RAILROAD AVENUE.

This section of road was built in 1909 as a 6 inch Tarvia "X" penetration job and had become badly worn and out of shape, although this foundation was good.

The road was scarified and resurfaced to an average depth of 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches, penetrated with Tarvia "X" at an average of 1.7 gals. per sq. yd., and sealed with Tarvia "B" 0.36 gal. per sq. yd., and sand.

The following data shows the amount of material used and cost per sq. yd., of the work.

791 tons stone,	\$2,026.00
8,462 gals. Tarvia "X",	1,480.00
1,800 gals. Tarvia "B",	324.00
Labor,	2,590.00
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	\$6,420.00
4,960 sq. yds. resurfaced @	\$1.30

SANDWICH STREET FROM SMITH'S GARAGE TO
JABEZ CORNER.

This was another Tarvia "X" penetration job badly out of shape, which was scarified and redressed with No. 1 stone, at an average depth of 4 inches.

569 tons stone,	\$1,677.00
9,435 gals. Tarvia "X",	1,709.00
Tarvia "B",	419.00
Labor,	2,043.00
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	\$5,848.00
4,830 sq. yds. @	\$1.22

SANDWICH ROAD, FROM JABEZ CORNER TO JORDAN HOSPITAL.

This section of road is part of a water bound macadam road built in from Jabez Corner along Sandwich Road to the entrance of the property now owned by Sherman L. Whipple.

The old road was scarified, reshaped and rolled and then resurfaced to an average depth of 5 inches, penetrated with Tarvia "X", using 1.9 gallons per sq. yd., and sealed with Tarvia "B", using 0.44 gallons per sq. yd.

The cost is shown below:

647 tons stone,	\$1,816.00
7,000 gallons Tarvia "X",	1,295.00
1,580 gallons Tarvia "B",	277.00
Labor,	1,749.00
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	\$5,137.00
3,608 sq yds. @	\$1.42

SOUTH PARK AVENUE.

This was a gravel road that was scarified, reshaped and resurfaced with crushed stone to an average depth of 4¾ inches, penetrated with Tarvia "X" at a rate of 1.4 gallons per sq. yd., and sealed with Tarvia "B" at a rate of 0.46 gallons per sq. yd.

Following is the amount and cost of material used:

282 tons stone,	\$705.00
2,250 gallons Tarvia "X",	393.00
740 gallons Tarvia "B",	122.00
Labor,	683.00
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	\$1,903.00
1,590 sq. yds. @	\$1.20

WATER STREET EXTENSION.

This piece of work extended northerly, from the intersection of South Park Avenue and Water Street, to the entrance to the freight yard.

In order to cut off the ground water and prevent it from getting under the road, an 8 inch tile drain was laid on the westerly side of the road for a distance of 680 feet, with an outlet on the east side. This drain was laid in the following manner.

After the trench was excavated to the proper grade, No. 2 stone to a depth of 2 inches was spread in the bottom. On this foundation 8 inch tile pipe was laid with open joints and filled around the sides and for about 12 inches over the top, with 2½ inch stone. The excavated material was used for the balance of the back filling.

The total cost of this work was \$798.10, making an average cost of \$1.17 per foot.

Since this drain has been laid a substantial stream of water has been continuously flowing from the outlet and has effectually prevented water from getting beneath the road.

A measurement of the quantity of water collected and discharged by this drain was made on Jan. 4, 1921, and was found to be about 4,500 gallons per 24 hours.

A 6 inch base of rubble stone was laid as a foundation for this road on which a 5½ inch broken stone surface was laid with Tarvia "X" penetration and "B" seal coat.

The amount of material and cost is given below:

277 tons stone,	\$849.00
2,000 gallons Tarvia "X",	350.00
610 gallons Tarvia "B",	100.00
Labor,	1,206.00
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	\$2,505.00
1,320 sq. yds. @	\$1.90

NORTH PARK AVENUE.

North Park Avenue and the roadway in from the railroad station, between North and South Park Avenue, is owned by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.

The Railroad Company wished to have this section macadamized in a manner similar to South Park Avenue, and requested the Town to do the work, for which the railroad would pay.

This work was finished too late to put on a seal coat in 1920, consequently that will have to be applied in the spring.

The amount of material used and cost of work is shown below:

208 tons stone,	\$727.00
3,000 gallons Tarvia "X",	555.00
Labor,	583.00
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	\$1,865.00
1,667 sq. yds. @	\$1.12

COURT STREET FROM CHERRY TO RUSSELL.

This section of road was given a surface treatment of Tarvia "A" with No. 2 stone, then sealed with Tarvia "B" and sand.

237 tons stone,	\$593.00
2,740 gallons Tarvia "A",	480.00
2,400 gallons Tarvia "B",	396.00
Labor,	672.00
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	\$2,141.00
7,000 sq. yds. @	\$0.31

DARBY ROAD.

This road, from its junction with Samoset Street to the Carver line, was treated with Tarvia "B" and sand at cost shown below :

250 tons sand,	\$12.00
6,000 gallons Tarvia "B",	1,050.00
Labor,	270.00
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	\$1,332.00
29,000 sq. yds. @	\$0.046

MARKET STREET.

This street was scarified, shaped and rolled, and treated with Tarvia "B" and pea stone, as shown below :

45 tons Pea Stone,	\$112.00
1,000 gallons Tarvia "B",	165.00
Labor,	85.00
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	\$362.00

SOUTH STREET FROM SANDWICH TO MT. PLEASANT
AND PLEASANT STREET FROM MARKET
TO SOUTH.

The same treatment was given these two streets that was used on Market Street, namely scarifying, reshaping and rolling, then an application of Tarvia "B" and Pea Stone.

MAIN STREET.

The resurfacing of Main Street, between North Street and Town Square on the west side, and also a portion of Town Square, totalling an area of 1,791 sq. yds., was done by Simpson Bros., at a contract price of \$2.50 per sq. yd., which included all labor and material except the pea stone.

The surface that was laid goes by the trade name of "Simasco" and is a mixed job using pea stone and sand with Tarvia "X" as a binder.

Before this work was begun, the Brockton & Plymouth Street Railway Company renewed the ties and rails in this section that needed attention, so that, barring accidents to underground structures, it should not be necessary to disturb this surface for several years.

SEWERS.

The following table shows the length, size and cost of sewers laid during the past year.

Location	Length	Size	Average Depth	Cost		Total	Per ft.
				Labor	Material		
Alden Street	248 ft.	6 in.	6.96 ft.	\$335.00	\$316.28	\$651.28	\$2.63
South Street	196 ft.	8 in.	9.57 ft.	427.00	247.26	674.26	3.40

The main sewer on Davis Street, between Allerton Street and Highland Place, was cleared of tree roots at an expense of \$45.00.

The main sewer on Sandwich Road, between Obery Street and Jordan Hospital, was similarly cleared of roots at a cost of \$30.00.

There have been 18 house connections made during the past year by the department men for which the Town has been reimbursed.

The sewer manholes have been cleaned as usual.

On January 6th, 1921 it was discovered that a section of the 15 inch main sewer on Sandwich Street, between Fremont Street and Stevens Street, was broken and had settled and was not working properly.

Temporary repairs were made by relaying a short section that was damaged, but it will be necessary to make more complete and permanent renewal of this damaged section in the spring.

It is impossible to make an accurate estimate of the cost of this proposed work but I suggest that a special appropriation of \$1500.00 be made for it.

SURFACE DRAINS.

All catch basins on the storm water drains have been cleaned as soon after each storm as was practicable and at the end of the year all drains and catch basins appeared to be in satisfactory working condition.

The 20 inch drain emptying into the harbor at the foot of Howes Lane was destroyed for about 50 feet by washing out. This was relaid and a substantial end wall built at a cost of \$50.00 which should prevent a recurrence of this trouble.

A stone culvert carrying water from Summer Street to Town Brook had fallen in at some points and was relaid at a cost of \$48.00.

Surface water on Court Street, from Centennial Street to Hedges Brook, has always been a source of annoyance during heavy rains.

One of the reasons for this is that the grade of Court Street between Savery's Lane and Cherry Street, is very flat, in some parts only about 4 inches per 100 feet.

In order to remedy this condition a 20 inch drain could be laid under the west gutter on Court Street, commencing at

Hamilton Street and extending northerly about 1,400 feet, emptying into the open gutter about 200 feet north of Cherry Street.

Suitable catch basins should be built at street intersections.

The estimated cost of this work is \$5,000.00.

Considerable difficulty with tile drain pipes being crushed at street intersections has been experienced the past year. This is probably due to the increasing number of heavily loaded vehicles, particularly auto trucks, using the highways.

The following list shows the locations where the original tile drains have been replaced during the year with 12 inch cast iron pipe, which will be more durable and easily cleaned.

Location	Length in feet	Labor Cost
Water Street, at the foot of Howland,	36	\$45.00
Alden Street, at Standish Ave.,	96	60.00
South Street, at Whiting,	48	12.00
Sandwich Street, at Bay View Ave.,	24	12.00
Court Street, at Knapps',	12	6.00
Middle Street, at driveway,	24	12.00
Mt. Pleasant Street, at Sandwich,	30	20.00
Across Leyden Street,	24	14.00
Court Street, at South Spooner,	48	14.00
Court Street, at Cherry		

GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

All of the granolithic sidewalk work carried out during the past year has been with department forces. The total area built was 1,407 sq. yds., and the average cost was \$2.95 per sq. yd.

In addition there has been laid about 700 lineal feet of concrete curb on North Spooner Street. A part of the cost

of this work was borne by the Plymouth Cordage Company and the amount paid by the Town toward this work was \$700.00.

The sidewalks have been built as described below in all cases except where the foundation was found to be satisfactory without the addition of ashes.

Excavation was made to a depth of 18 inches below finished grade, and backfilled with 14 inches of course cinders well compacted. A 3 inch layer of concrete of proportions of about 1/6 was laid and on this a 1 inch wearing surface of cement and sand, 1.1.

The following table shows the different pieces of sidewalk work completed the past year.

TABLE SHOWING LOCATION, AREA AND COST OF
GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALK LAID IN 1920.

Location	Area in Sq. Yds.	Cost	Remarks
Water Street, 640	\$1,650.00	Craig's Wharf, Northerly.	
Cushman " 52	194.00	At Jas. Collingwood's.	
Court " 40	129.00	At Mrs. Helen Hedge's.	
Court " 82	295.00	At Geo. Gooding's & Louis Rubenstein's.	
Court " 360	1065.00	Russell Ave., Northerly.	
Court " 63	189.00	At John Damon's.	
Court " 81	243.00	At Wm. P. Libby's.	
Sandwich " 89	385.00	At Buick Garage.	
Total	1407	\$4,150.00	
Total area and avearge cost per sq. yd., \$2.95.			

SIDEWALKS.

The gravel sidewalk on South Street, from Towns Street to the house of Charles Raymond, a distance of about 1,250 feet, was sprayed with Tarvia "B", about $1/3$ gal. per sq. yd., and covered with sand.

The northerly sidewalk on Mt. Pleasant Street, from Sandwich Street to Whiting Street, a distance of 350 feet, and for 50 feet on Whiting Street was given the same treatment.

On Bay View Avenue the northerly sidewalk, for a distance of about 400 feet, west from Sandwich Street, was graded and covered with about 2 inches of pea stone well rolled. Hot Tarvia "X" was sprayed over these stone at the rate of about 1 gal. per sq. yd., and covered with sand.

This appears to make a very satisfactory type of sidewalk and is well adapted for use on many of the side streets.

BRIDGES.

The bridge across Eel River on Warren Avenue has been partially replanked, but will need extensive repairs or rebuilding the coming year. It is hoped that since this bridge carries all the travel of the State Highway on Warren Avenue that the Public Works Department of the State will be interested in assisting the Town to rebuild this bridge with concrete beams and floor slab to replace the present steel I beams and wooden floor. The Public Works Department has this matter under advisement at this writing.

A washout occurred on Clifford Road, near Whipple's stone crusher, in February and in order to make a more permanent job of repairing the damage, the easterly wall supporting the road at this point was relaid at a cost of about \$200.00. The wooden bridge across the stream at this point needs renewal, and in my opinion, a concrete bridge should be built. A plan has been made of a new bridge with 10 foot span, 25 feet wide.

CRUSHER.

There has been 3,242 tons of stone crushed during the past year at a cost of \$3,200.00, including labor, teams, power and oil, making a total cost of \$.92 per ton for crushing.

The price paid for field stone, delivered at the crusher, during the year was \$1.50 per ton, so that the cost of all local crushed stone used during the year was \$2.42 per ton, at the crusher.

Eleven cars of rail stone, totalling 523 tons, were purchased from the New Haven Trap Rock Co., in June, for \$2.60 per ton, F. O. B., Plymouth, Mass.

Eight cars of rail stone, amounting to 327 tons, were bought from the Old Colony Crushed Stone Co., at Quincy, for \$3.50 per ton, F. O. B., Plymouth, Mass., the increased price being due to the rise in rail rates.

SNOW REMOVAL.

The winter of 1920 was marked by an unusually heavy snow fall with a correspondingly large expenditure for snow removal. The total expenditure for this item being \$11,084.02.

By way of preparation in handling some of this work during 1921, a snow fence has been erected in the Holmes field on the easterly side of Court Street for a distance of 650 feet.

It is expected that this fence will minimize, if not prevent, the drifting that occurs at this point every year when there is any considerable snow fall.

The cost of the construction and erection of this fence has been borne equally by the Town and the Brockton & Plymouth Street Railway Co., since it was assumed that each would be equally benefited by preventing drifts in the highway at this point.

A snow plow that can be attached to the front of an automobile truck has also been purchased.

This plow has been put on a three-ton "G. M. C." truck, owned by J. B. Finney, and arrangements have been made so that this equipment will respond to telephone calls either day or night in case of a snow storm.

STREET CLEANING.

There has been spent during the year and charged to this account the sum of \$5,041.68.

This includes the cost of one regular patrolman on Main Street and Court Street, from Town Square to the Railroad Station, also, labor and teams for cleaning gutters on all the other streets of the Town.

During the coming year, when we shall probably have an unusually large number of visitors, the task of keeping the streets clean will be very much simplified if each inhabitant would take a personal interest in their appearance.

PROPOSED NEW WORK.

It is my judgment that the Town should undertake the construction of some new bituminous macadam work each year and I recommend that Oak Street, from Samoset Street to Summer Street, be rebuilt in this manner the coming year.

Our experience with scarifying and reshaping the gravel roads and then giving them a surface treatment of bituminous material and pea stone has been sufficiently favorable to warrant a continuation of this work.

I suggest that South Street from Mt. Pleasant Street to Manuel Medara's, and Sandwich Road, from Jordan Hospital to Bramhall's corner, be so treated, and possibly one or two side streets.

Shirley Square should be resurfaced and North Street should be given a 3 inch surfacing of No. 2 stone, with bituminous binder.

In closing this report I wish to take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation to the Board for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR E. BLACKMER, *Superintendent.*

REPORT OF ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, RELATING TO ARTICLES IN WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 27, 1920.

Article 5. To make the necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the Town, and for other purposes, and to raise such sums of money as the Town shall deem expedient:

The Committee presents below the amounts recommended for the various departments. These sums were arrived at after hearings and conferences with representatives of the several departments, and painstaking study of their budgets and plans for the ensuing year. It is the Committee's opinion that amounts suggested are just and sufficient, and that the Town's activities cannot be carried on efficiently or successfully for smaller appropriations than those approved; but the Committee bespeaks the cooperation of every Town official and employee in eliminating needless expense and in minimizing wasted time, as, in these days of inflated values, the welfare of the community demands that the Town's finances be administered as thrifty as possible.

	Asked for by the Department	Recommended by Advisory and Finance Committee
Selectmen's Department,	\$2,800.00	\$2,200.00
Accounting Department,	1,700.00	1,700.00
Treasury Department,	1,500.00	1,500.00
Tax Collector's Department,	2,000.00	2,000.00

Assessors' Department,	3,600.00	3,600.00
Assessors' Plans,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Law Department,	800.00	800.00
Town Clerk's Department,	850.00	850.00
Engineering Department,	900.00	900.00
Street Line Survey,	200.00	200.00
Planning Board,	100.00	100.00
Election and Registration,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Maintenance of Town House,	1,800.00	1,800.00
Police Department,	12,000.00	12,000.00
Fire Department,	22,500.00	22,500.00
Sealing Weights and Measures,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Moth Suppression,	7,000.00	7,000.00
Tree Warden's Department,	2,000.00	2,500.00
Tree Warden's Dept., New Sprayer,	2,000.00	2,000.00
Planting Shade Trees,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Forest Warden's Department,	2,500.00	2,500.00
Shell Fish Department,	600.00	600.00
Inland Fisheries,	200.00	200.00
Plymouth County Farm Bureau,	350.00	250.00
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance,	1,473.56	1,473.56
Health Department,	13,500.00	12,200.00
Public Sanitarries,	550.00	550.00
Sewer Department,	2,500.00	2,500.00
Roads and Bridges,	43,150.00	43,150.00
Eel River Bridge,	4,000.00	0000.00
Paving Main Street,	3,500.00	3,500.00
Deepening Bed of Eel River,	700.00	700.00
Sidewalks, Maintenance,	3,000.00	3,000.00
Sidewalks, Granolithic,	3,000.00	3,000.00
Snow and Ice Removal	10,000.00	11,500.00
Street Sprinkling,	4,500.00	4,500.00
Street Lighting,	13,500.00	13,500.00
Harbor Master,	150.00	150.00
Poor Department,	15,000.00	15,000.00

Mothers' Aid,	7,000.00	7,000.00
Military Aid,	250.00	250.00
Soldiers' Relief,	6,820.33	6,820.33
School Department,	174,710.00	172,710.00
Plymouth Public Library, including dog tax, \$1,097.00,	4,000.00	4,000.00
Manomet Public Library,	250.00	250.00
Park Department,	3,950.00	3,950.00
Park Department, cutting wood in Park,	500.00	500.00
Training Green,	300.00	300.00
Stephens Field,	250.00	150.00
Sexton,	125.00	125.00
Memorial Day,	225.00	225.00
Miscellaneous Account,	2,500.00	2,500.00
Reserve Account,	5,000.00	
Water Department, Maintenance,	19,000.00	19,000.00
Water Department, Construction,	8,000.00	8,000.00
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries,	10,000.00	10,000.00
Oak Grove and Vine Hills, Water Pipe,	100.00	100.00
Burial Hill Cemetery,	1,500.00	1,500.00
C. M. C. and S. P. Cemeteries,	300.00	300.00
Town Debt and Interest,	46,000.00	46,000.00
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	\$478,703.89	\$467,603.89
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Less Dog Tax,	1,097.00	1,097.00
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	\$477,606.89	

Article 6. To take such action as the Town may see fit in aid of the Plymouth Public Library.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$4,000, including the dog fund of 1919, amounting to \$1,097, be appropriated for the maintenance of the Plymouth Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) dollars in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

The committee recommends that the sum of \$250.00 be appropriated in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article 8. To see what appropriation the Town will make for the care and improvement of the various parks and of the Training Green.

The Committee recommends the following appropriations:

Parks,	\$3,950.00
Cutting wood in parks,	500.00
Training Green,	300.00
Stephen's Field,	150.00

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate a sum not exceeding \$225.00 to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 10. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding three hundred and fifty (350) dollars for the use of the Plymouth County Farm Bureau.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for the aid of the Plymouth County Farm Bureau.

Article 11. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of thirty-five hundred (3,500) dollars to be used in paving the westerly side of Main Street and that part of Town Square below the westerly line of Market Street.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$3,500.00 be appropriated for the purpose of resurfacing the westerly side of Main Street, and that part of Town Square below the westerly line of Market Street, according to the plans of the selectmen.

Article 12. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum

of four thousand (4,000) dollars to be used for concrete construction on the bridge over Eel River.

The Committee recommends that the Town take no action under this article, as later developments contemplated by the State may render the Town's action unnecessary.

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate, for deepening the bed of Eel River below the bridge, the sum of seven hundred (700) dollars, that being approximate extra expense caused by the storm and paid from the appropriation in 1919.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$700.00 be appropriated for deepening the bed of Eel River below Warren Avenue bridge, such sum to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 14. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of seven hundred (700) dollars, to be expended on the Bartlett Road in Manomet in building a permanent road.

The Committee recommends that it is inexpedient for the Town to make such appropriation at this time.

Articles 15, 16, 17.

The Committee recommends that the sum of \$542.40 be appropriated from the tax levy of 1917, and \$312.41, same being the balance of reserve from overlayings of taxes, and \$6,000 of the overlay of taxes of 1919, to the reserve Account.

Article 18. To see if the Town will appropriate, from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sums of one hundred and thirty (130) dollars to the Law Department, seventy (70) dollars to the Assessors' Department, four hundred, thirty-six and 63/100 (436.63) dollars to the Fire Department and twenty-four and 45/100 (24.25) dollars to the Sewer department; the foregoing amounts to be for the payment of bills contracted in 1919.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate,

from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the following amounts, for payment of bills contracted in 1919:

Law Department,	\$130 00
Assessors' Department,	70 00
Fire Department,	436 63
Sewer Department,	24 45

Article 19. To see what action the Town will take in regard to increasing the salary of the Chairman of the Selectmen to nine hundred (900) dollars a year, and of the other Selectmen to three hundred (300) dollars a year.

The Committee recommends that the salary of the Chairman of the Selectmen be increased to \$900.00 a year, and that it is inexpedient to increase the salaries of other members of the board.

Article 20. To see what action the Town will take in regard to closing the Town House on Wednesday evenings, during the months of July and August.

The Committee recommends that the Town authorize the closing of the Town House on Wednesday evenings during the months of July and August.

Article 21. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 423, Acts of Massachusetts for 1909 and amendments thereto, relative to the sale of ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's Day.

The Committee recommends that it is unnecessary and inexpedient to accept chapter 423 of the Acts of Massachusetts, for 1909, and amendments thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the use of a lot on South Street near Brailey's Lane for cemetery purposes.

The Committee recommends that the Town authorize the use for cemetery purposes of the prescribed lot on South Street near Brailey's Lane.

It will be noted that the Committee recommends the total

appropriation of \$13,500.00 for street lighting as requested by Selectmen. The Committee, however, believes that the lighting subject should be carefully investigated by competent individuals to assure the Town that it is receiving full voltage, and the maximum of illumination for the money spent, also to see that the circuits are maintained in proper condition.

ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE TOWN OF PLYMOUTH.

Edward L. Burgess, Chairman; Wilfrid O. Broadbent, Secretary; Elmer E. Avery, Frank D. Bartlett, Ellis W. Brewster, Sumner A. Chapman, Alton D. Edes, Richard T. Eldridge, Nicholas Keefe, Henry E. Walton, John B. Washburn, Harold J. Weston, Colburn C. Wood.

NOTE.

Mr. Edes dissents from the vote of majority under Article 14; Messrs. Washburn and Bartlett dissent under Article 19; Mr. Bartlett dissents under Article 21; Messrs. Washburn and Edes dissent under appropriation for Tree Warden's Department; Mr. Keefe dissents under appropriation for Shell Fish Department; Messrs. Walton and Wood dissent under School Department appropriation.

All other recommendations passed upon by unanimous vote of the Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, RELATING TO ARTICLES IN WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,

MAY 29, 1920.

Article 3. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the erection of a Town Hall and furnishings for the same, to make an appropriation therefor, and to authorize the issue of

notes or bonds of the Town for said purpose, and to reconsider or rescind any vote heretofore passed by the Town in regard to the same.

In view of oral report presented by Chairman of the Town Tercentenary Committee, and information furnished by Chairman of Board of Selectmen, the Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Article 4. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 240, of the Acts of 1920, entitled "An Act to Permit, under Public Regulation and Control, Certain Sports and Games on the Lord's Day."

The Committee recommends that the Town accept Chapter 240, of the Acts of 1920.

Article 5. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Selectmen for entertainment purposes.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) to be placed at the disposal of the Selectmen for entertainment purposes.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take in relation to the increase of the Assessors' salaries and to make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee recommends that the salaries of the Assessors be fixed at one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and that the Town appropriate the further sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to meet the increase.

Respectfully submitted,

ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, TOWN OF
PLYMOUTH.

Edward L. Burgess, Chairman; Wilfrid O. Broadbent, Secretary; Elmer E. Avery, Frank D. Bartlett, William H. Hariman, James S. Kierstead, Henry W. Royal, Henry E. Walton.

NOTE.

Unanimous action under all articles, except Mr. Avery dissents under Article 4, and reserves vote under Article 3.

Plymouth, July 20, 1920.

Mr. George B. Howland,

Town Clerk, Plymouth.

Dear Sir:—The Advisory and Finance Committee met at the Town House Tuesday evening, July 20, to consider articles in the Town Warrant for the special meeting to be held on Saturday, July 24. It was the sense of the majority of the members present that no action by the Advisory Committee was needed on the articles involved, inasmuch as they relate to matters under the jurisdiction of special committees.

Respectfully submitted,

W. O. BROADBENT, Secretary,
Advisory and Finance Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF ADVISORY AND FINANCE
COMMITTEE, RELATING TO ARTICLES IN WAR-
RANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,
AUGUST 7, 1920.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of ten thousand, five hundred twenty-six and 26-100 (10,526.26) dollars to be used for payment of bill of the architects for services on account of working drawings and specifications for the Town Hall.

The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate the sum of ten thousand, five hundred twenty-six and 26-100 (10,526.26) dollars for payment of bill of the architects for services on account of working drawings and specifications for the Town Hall.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer of the sum of two hundred (200) dollars received from the sale of the Chiltonville Grammar School Building, to the School

Department Appropriation, to be used for improving the Lincoln Street grounds.

It was reported to the Committee that the proposed transfer was to make available funds with which to improve conditions for playing baseball; in view of the lateness of the season the Committee considers that the expenditure at this time would be inexpedient. The Committee recommends that no action be taken under this article.

Respectfully submitted,

ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, TOWN OF
PLYMOUTH.

Edward L. Burgess, Chairman; Wilfrid O. Broadbent, Secretary; Elmer E. Avery, Sumner Chapman, Richard T. Eldredge, William H. Harriman, Henry W. Royal, Henry E. Walton.

Mr. Avery dissents from vote of Committee under Article 2.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF ADVISORY AND FINANCE
COMMITTEE RELATING TO ARTICLES IN WAR-
RANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, OLD
COLONY THEATRE, THURSDAY EVEN-
ING, DECEMBER 30, 1920.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred eighty-one (181) dollars for Election and Registration.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of one hundred forty (140) dollars for maintenance of the Town House.

Articles 2 and 3. Subject matter having been otherwise

provided for, action by the Town is not needed. The Committee therefore recommends that no action be taken under these articles.

Article 4. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of three hundred fifty (350) dollars for the Police Department.

Article 4. The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of three hundred fifty (350) dollars for the Police Department.

Article 5. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars for the School Department.

Article 5. The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars for the School Department.

Article 6. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars for Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemetery.

Article 6. The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five hundred (500) dollars for Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemetery. (Amount amended to \$500.00 on suggestion of Cemetery Commissioners).

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of fifty (50) dollars for Burial Hill.

Article 7. The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of fifty (50) dollars for Burial Hill.

Article 8. To see if the Town will appropriate from money

in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of eleven hundred (1,100) dollars for Town Debt and Interest.

Article 8. The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate from money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of eleven hundred (1100) dollars for Town Debt and Interest.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate, as provided in Section 7, Chapter 591, Acts of 1920, to Roads and Bridges, reimbursement in the sum of eighteen hundred, sixty-three (1863) dollars for labor and materials paid from that appropriation used on North Park Avenue, and in front of the railroad station, and to granolithic sidewalks all reimbursements for granolithic construction during the year.

Article 9. The Committee recommends that the Town appropriate, as provided in Section 7, Chapter 591, Acts of 1920, to Roads and Bridges, reimbursement in the sum of eighteen hundred sixty-three (1863) dollars for labor and materials paid from that appropriation used on North Park Avenue and in front of the railroad station, and to granolithic sidewalks all reimbursements for granolithic construction during the year.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to use for other purposes, incident to the Tercenary celebration, such portion of the appropriation already made by the Town for entertainment purposes, as they may deem advisable. (By request).

Article 10. The Committee recommends that the Town take no action under this article.

Article 11. To see if the Town will rescind its vote of October 11, 1919, making an appropriation for building a Town Hall.

Article 12. To see if the Town will rescind its vote of October 11, 1919, to erect a suitable Town Hall, as a memorial building, with town offices.

Article 13. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the erection of a Town Hall and furnishings for the same, to make an appropriation therefor, and to authorize the issue of notes or bonds of the Town for said purpose.

Articles 11, 12 and 13. Inasmuch as insufficient information has been furnished to the Town or to the Advisory and Finance Committee, the Committee recommends that no action be taken under Articles 11, 12, and 13, until some future meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE
TOWN OF PLYMOUTH.

Edward L. Burgess, Chairman; Wilfrid O. Broadbent, Secretary; Elmer E. Avery, Frank D. Bartlett, Sumner A. Chapman, Oliver L. Edes, Richard T. Eldridge, William H. Harriman, Henry W. Royal, Henry Walton, Alvin M. Watkins.

NOTE.

Unanimous action under all articles except that Mr. Edes dissents and Mr. Harriman reserves vote under Articles 11, 12, and 13. Messrs. Bartlett, Chapman and Royal excused before votes taken on any articles.

PLYMOUTH MEMORIAL BUILDING. REPORT OF
BUILDING COMMITTEE ON PROPOSED
TOWN HALL, AND OFFICES.

In presenting the following report of the Building Committee to the voters for consideration and discussion, your committee feels that a statement should be made of the causes of delay in presenting the report.

In our report to the Town at a special town meeting, held October 11, 1919, your Committee recommended that the Town accept the plans for a memorial building as submitted by Little & Russell.

After presentation of the report and discussion by the Town it was voted that a committee of nine be appointed by the Moderator to have full charge of constructing a memorial building, with power to sign contracts; and the sum of \$300,000 was appropriated for the construction of the hall.

The Moderator appointed on this committee the same persons that served on the committee to obtain plans; and the committee met and organized, with John W. Churchill, chairman, and Geo. L. Gooding, secretary.

Arrangements were promptly made with Little & Russell to furnish detail plans of the memorial building which the Committee recommended in its report of October 11, and to obtain estimates of cost of construction from reputable contractors.

The architects were seriously handicapped in their efforts to rapidly prosecute this work by causes beyond their control.

The policeman's strike in Boston took some of their draughtsmen and others attracted by larger salaries elsewhere took positions in other cities.

In the meantime prices of material and labor were continually advancing, and with such rapidity that it was impossible to obtain a reasonably accurate estimate of the cost of construction of the proposed building.

Every contractor who was asked to bid made his estimate high enough (in his judgment) to cover all contingencies and fluctuations in labor and material, or as expressed in the letter of Little & Russell to us dated May 18, "at least 25 per cent. to 30 per cent. of the estimated cost has been put in to cover contingencies."

We therefore have to report that the estimates that Little & Russell have been able to obtain for us vary from \$488,423 to \$618,423.

In view of the fact that the Committee is unable to carry out the vote of the Town and keep within the appropriation, it submits this report for the consideration of the voters and awaits their further action.

We append herewith the letter of Little & Russell which your Committee believes is a fair statement of conditions at present existing.

May 18, 1920.

To the Building Committee of the Plymouth Memorial Building, Plymouth, Mass.:

Gentlemen—We hand you herewith a complete schedule of competitive estimates for the memorial building. You will note that we have included approximate estimates for a number of items for furnishings and work outside the building, which should not be included under your present appropriation.

As you are aware, the conditions of the market for labor and materials have for many months been such that estimates from contractors do not represent the actual cost of the building.

All the evidence gathered from the contractors during the

period of estimating the memorial building confirms our opinion that such is the case and that in spite of the most carefully prepared plans covering every branch of the work, this state of affairs still exists.

Contractors are unable to obtain from mills and subcontractors, proper prices or guarantees of deliveries, and they are unable to set a basic cost for labor of any kind.

We would call your attention to the fact that some of the contractors invited, absolutely refused to estimate on the work and that it was only by inviting the contractors to bid practically on their own terms that we were able to secure any estimates at all.

The estimate, such as it is, for the work which should properly be included under your appropriation is approximately \$188,423.

Based on our experience in obtaining these estimates and on our experience with a number of other office jobs, it is our opinion that at least twenty-five per cent. to thirty per cent. of this estimate has been put in to cover contingencies, and that that amount represents no value to the owners in labor and material. While the majority of opinion seems to indicate distinctly better conditions in the market for labor and material in the near future, there is still a vague distrust in the minds of those who buy in this market, and they prefer to risk other money than their own when taking contracts.

We realize that the cost of a public building must be known beforehand and that its ultimate cost must be practically guaranteed. In view of the practical impossibility at the present time of entering into a contract or contracts for building, which would so guarantee the cost, we recommend that you postpone any further action on this building for a period which we would estimate to be from three to six months. We are confident that within such a period there will be a very distinct and encouraging change in conditions.

We have made every effort to eliminate chance in the prepa-

ration of our specifications and plans. We hope that we have made it clear that we are not discouraged in the outlook for getting the Plymouth Memorial built at a proper figure within a reasonable time.

Very truly yours,

LITTLE & RUSSELL.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. CHURCHILL,
JOHN H. DAMON,
FRANCIS C. HOLMES,
FRANK EASTWOOD,
JOHN J. O'BRIEN,
C. D. HOWLAND,
GEORGE L. GOODING,
LEBARON R. BARKER.

Ninth Annual Report

OF THE

Town Accountant

OF THE

TOWN OF PLYMOUTH

MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31

1920

Plymouth, Mass., February 3, 1921.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Plymouth, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the financial transactions of the Town of Plymouth for the year ending December 31, 1920, arranged as in former years.

Schedule A. shows the receipts and payments for the year, classified as required by the Division of Accounts of the Commonwealth.

Schedule B. is a detailed account of each appropriation, showing the amount appropriated, the additions to and payments from the same.

Schedule C. is a statement of the Estimated Receipts; the charges being the amounts estimated and deducted from the total of the appropriations, by the Assessors in making up the Tax Warrant, and the credits being the amounts actually received.

Schedule D. is the Revenue Account for the year.

Schedule E. is the Excess and Deficiency Account for 1920.

Schedule F. is the Balance Sheet, January 1, 1921, showing the condition of the Town Finances after closing the books for 1920.

Schedule G. is a summary of the Outstanding Indebtedness showing the debt at the beginning of the year, the amounts paid on same, and the principal and interest requirements for 1921.

Schedule H. is a detailed statement of the Outstanding Indebtedness.

Schedule I. is an itemized statement of the Trust Funds, *not including* the January, 1921, dividends.

But for deferred payments of corporation tax which is received from the State the balances on Schedules C. and E. would have shown substantial increase.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER R. HARLOW, *Town Accountant.*

SCHEDULE A. RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS RECEIPTS

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
GENERAL REVENUE.			
1. TAXES.			
<i>Current Year—</i>			
1. Property,	\$415,506.52		
2. Poll,	16,604.00		
<i>Previous Years—</i>			
3. Property,	55,261.01		
4. Poll,	964.00		
<i>From the State—</i>			
5. Corporation,	13,004.26		
6. Street Railway			
7. Bank,	1,650.21		
Income Tax,	29,716.09		
Income Tax (School Fund),	16,280.00		
Reimbursement for loss of Taxes, land used for public institutions,	262.44		
Reimbursement for Soldiers' Exemptions,	161.04		
Total from Taxes,	\$549,409.57		\$549,409.57
2. LICENSES AND PERMITS.			
<i>Licenses—</i>			
8. Liquor			
9. All Other,	\$610.50		
<i>Permits—</i>			
10. Marriage			
11. All Other,	756.00		
Total from Licenses and Permits,	\$1,366.50		1,366.50
3. FINES AND FORFEITS.			
12. Court,	\$363.20		
13. Department Penalties			
14. Contract Violations			
Total from Fines and Forfeits,	\$363.20		363.20
Total forward,			\$551,139.27

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
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4. GRANTS AND GIFTS.

Total forward,			\$551,139.27
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Grants from Other Civil Divisions—

- | | | | |
|---|----------|--|--|
| 15. From State for Education
(Smith-Hughes Funds), | \$243.06 | | |
| a. Support of Public Schools | | | |
| b. Aid to High Schools | | | |
| c. Aid to Industrial Schools | | | |
| d. High School Tuition | | | |
| e. Union Superintendency | | | |
| 16. From State for Armories | | | |
| 17. From State for Highway Purposes | | | |
| 18. From State for Other Purposes | | | |
| a. Inspector of Animals | | | |
| b. Protection against Forest Fires | | | |
| 19. From County (Dog Licenses)
for Schools or Libraries, | 1,230.60 | | |

Gifts from Individuals—

- | | | | |
|------------------|--|--|--|
| 20. For Expenses | | | |
| 21. For Outlays | | | |

Total from Grants and Gifts,	\$1,473.66		1,473.66
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5. ALL OTHER REVENUE.

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23.

Total from all other Revenue

Total forward,			\$552,612.93
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RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Revenue for Outlays	Total
Total forward,		\$552,612.93	

COMMERCIAL REVENUE.

6. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS.

24. Street Sprinkling			
25. Moth Extermination,	\$964.28		
26. Sewers			
27. Sidewalks and Curbing			
28. Other Purposes			
Total from Special Assessments,	\$964.28		964.28

7. PRIVILEGES.

29. Public Service,	\$595.69		
30. Minor			
Total from Privileges,	\$595.69		595.69
Total forward,		\$554,172.90	

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$554,172.90

8. DEPARTMENTAL.

Sa. General Government.

Legislative—

31. Aldermen and Council: Moderator

Executive—

32. Mayor; Commission; Selectmen

Financial—

33. Auditor, Accountant, Auditing

34. Treasurer

35. Collector, \$238.24

36. Assessors

37. License Commissioners

38. Other Finance Offices and Accounts

Other General Departments—

39. Law

40. City or Town Clerk, 10.45

General Government forward, \$248.69

Total forward, \$554,172.90

PAYMENTS

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
1. DEPARTMENTAL.			
1a. General Government.			
<i>Legislative—</i>			
1. Aldermen and Council; Moderator			
a. Salaries and Wages,	\$30.00		
b. Other Expenses,	181.02		
<i>Executive—</i>			
2. Mayor; Commission; Selectmen			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,756.00		
b. Other Expenses,	322.56		
<i>Financial—</i>			
3. Auditor, Accountant and Auditing			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,500.00		
b. Other Expenses,	173.33		
4. Treasurer			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,300.00		
b. Other Expenses,	188.78		
5. Collector			
a. Salaries and Wages,	1,556.00		
b. Other Expenses,	580.89		
6. Assessors			
a. Salaries and Wages,	3,346.00		
b. Other Expenses,	1,773.51		
7. License Commissioners			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
8. Other Finance Offices and Accounts			
a. Sinking Fund Commissioners			
b. Miscellaneous,	54.00		
<i>Other General Departments—</i>			
9. Law			
a. Salaries and Wages,	300.00		
b. Other Expenses	5.85		
10. City or Town Clerk			
a. Salaries and Wages,	100.00		
b. Other Expenses,	625.13		
General Government forward,	<hr/> \$13,793.07		

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$554,172.90
General Government forward,	\$248.69		
41. City Messenger			
42. Public Works			
43. Engineering			
44. Superintendent of Buildings			
45. Election and Registration,	6.00		
46. Other General Departments			
<i>Municipal Buildings—</i>			
47. City or Town Hall			
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Total from General Government,	\$254.69		254.69
<i>Sb. Protection of Persons and Property.</i>			
<i>Police Department—</i>			
48. Services of Officers			
49. Sale of Materials,	\$58.00		
50. Miscellaneous,	1.80		
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Protection of Persons and Property forward,	\$59.80		
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Total forward,			\$554,427.59

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
General Government forward,	\$13,793.07		
11. City Messenger			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
12. Public Works			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
13. Engineering			
a. Salaries and Wages,	872.50		
b. Other Expenses,	150.50		
14. Superintendent of Buildings			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
15. Election and Registration			
a. Salaries and Wages,	702.50		
b. Other Expenses,	511.40		
16. Other General Departments			
Planning Board,	100.00		
<i>Municipal Buildings—</i>			
17. City or Town Hall			
a. Salaries and Wages,	505.35		
b. Other Expenses,	1,709.88		
c. Services on account of Working Drawings and Specifications for Me- morial Town Hall,	10,526.26		
Total for General Government,	\$28,871.46		\$28,871.46
<i>1b. Protection of Persons and Property.</i>			
<i>Police Department—</i>			
18. Salaries and Wages,	\$12,015.01		
19. Horses and Care (Auto Expense),	451.78		
20. Equipment and Repairs,	22.68	\$411.56	
21. Fuel and Light,	621.21		
22. Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,	101.61		
23. New Buildings			
24. Other Expenses,	218.61		
Protection of Persons and Property forward,	\$13,430.90	\$411.56	
Total forward,			\$28,871.46

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$554,427.59
Protection of Persons and Property forward,	\$59.80		
<i>Fire Department—</i>			
51. Sale of Materials			
52. Miscellaneous,	24.50		
<i>Militia—</i>			
53. Armories			
54. Rifle Ranges			
<i>Inspection—</i>			
55. Inspection of Buildings			
56. Inspection of Wires			
57. Sealing of Weights and Measures,	183.01		
<i>Forestry—</i>			
58. Insect Pest Extermination,	40.00		
59. Planting and Trimming Trees			
60. Forest Fires			
<i>Other Protection of Persons and Property—</i>			
61. Bounties (on Seals),	4.00		
62.			
63.			
Total from Protection of Persons and Property,	\$311.31		311.31
Total forward,			\$554,738.90

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$28,871.46
Protection of Persons and Property forward,	\$14,430.90	\$411.56	
<i>Fire Department—</i>			
25. Salaries and Wages,	19,869.11		
26. Horses and Auto Hire,	37.50		
27. Equipment and Repairs,	1,341.06		
28. Hydrant Service,	310.88		
29. Fuel and Light,	1,241.32		
30. Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,	224.93		
31. New Buildings			
32. Other Expenses,	193.65		
<i>Militia—</i>			
33. Armories			
34. Rifle Ranges			
<i>Inspection—</i>			
35. Inspection of Buildings			
36. Inspection of Wires			
37. Sealing of Weights and Measures,	965.20		
<i>Forestry—</i>			
38. Insect Pest Extermination,	6,249.36	2,750.00	
39. Planting and Trimming Trees	3,498.57		
40. Forest Fires,	2,118.07	131.00	
<i>Other Protection of Persons and Property—</i>			
41. Bounties (On Seals),	4.00		
42. Fish Wardens (Shell Fish),	600.00		
43. Inland Fisheries,	158.00		
44. Plymouth County Farm Bureau,	250.00		
Lungmotor,		135.00	
Total for Protection of Persons and Property,	\$50,492.55	\$3,427.56	53,920.11
Total forward,			\$82,791.57

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$554,738.90
<i>Sc. Health and Sanitation.</i>			
<i>Health—</i>			
64. Quarantine and Contagious Disease Hospitals			
65. Tuberculosis,	\$178.58		
66. Miscellaneous			
67. Inspection			
<i>Sanitation—</i>			
68. Sewers and Sewage Disposal,	193.80		
69. Sewer Construction			
70. Refuse and Garbage Disposal			
71. Street Cleaning			
<i>Other Health and Sanitation—</i>			
72.			
73.			
Total from Health and Sanitation,	\$372.38		372.38
Total forward,			\$555,111.28

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$82,791.57
<i>1c. Health and Sanitation.</i>			
<i>Health—</i>			
45. General Administration,	\$797.07		
46. Quarantine and Contagious Disease Hospitals,	2,679.89		
47. Tuberculosis,	5,965.33		
48. Vital Statistics,	110.45		
49. Other Expenses,	2,691.30		
50. Inspection			
a. Inspection of School Children,	3,935.65	\$316.25	
b. Inspection of Animals,	366.68		
c. Inspection of Meat and Provisions,	834.57		
d. Inspection of Milk and Vinegar,	456.77		
<i>Sanitation—</i>			
51. Sewer Maintenance and Operation,	2,524.29		
52. Metropolitan Sewer Maintenance			
53. Sewer Construction			
54. Refuse and Garbage Disposal			
55. Street Cleaning,	4,883.22	158.46	
<i>Other Health and Sanitation—</i>			
56. Sanitaries and Public Convenience Stations,	545.13		
57. Care of Brooks and Streams			
58. Draining of Ponds			
59.			
Total for Health and Sanitation,	\$25,790.35	\$474.71	26,265.06
Total forward,			\$109,056.63

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$555,111.28
<i>Se. Highways.</i>			
74. General,	\$5.30		
75. Construction,		\$1,627.67	
76. Sidewalks and Curbing,		492.44	
77. Snow and Ice Removal			
78. Sprinkling			
a. Water			
b. Other			
79. Lighting			
80. Miscellaneous			
Total from Highways,	<hr/> \$5.30	<hr/> \$2,120.11	2,125.41
<i>Se. Charities.</i>			
81. Almshouse or Town Farm			
a. Sale of Produce and Stock,	\$61.16		
b. Board			
c. Miscellaneous,	3.85		
82. Reimbursements for Relief Given			
a. From Individuals,	45.00		
b. From Other Cities and Towns,	137.38		
c. From State,	888.83		
83. Reimbursements for Mothers' Aid			
a. From Individuals			
b. From Other Cities and Towns			
c. From State,	1,933.83		
84. Municipal General Hospitals			
85. Miscellaneous			
Total from Charities,	<hr/> \$3,070.05		3,070.05
Total forward,			<hr/> \$560,306.74

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$109,056.63
1d. Highways.			
60. General Administration,	\$2,436.18		
61. General Highway Expenditures,	55,463.18	\$2,070.00	
62. Construction,		13,327.90	
63. Sidewalks and Curbing,	1,798.17	6,073.71	
64. Snow and Ice Removal,	11,084.02		
65. Sprinkling			
a. Water,	1,327.14		
b. Other,	2,925.50		
66. Lighting,	12,836.11		
67. Other Expenses			
a. Town Pump (Drinking Fountains),	104.73		
b. Signs, Guide Boards, Street Numbering,	467.06	60.00	
c. Fences,	463.10		
d. Harbor Master,	150.00		
Total for Highways,	\$89,055.19	\$21,531.61	110,586.80
1e. Charities.			
68. General Administration,	\$410.00		
69. Almshouse or Town Farm,	6,617.58		
70. Outside Relief by City or Town,	5,972.68		
71. Relief given by Other Cities and Towns,	257.46		
72. Mothers' Aid			
a. Relief given by City or Town,	3,810.65		
b. Relief given by Other Cities and Towns,	398.53		
73. Municipal General Hospitals			
74. Other Expenses,	39.05		
Widows from Income from Old Colony National Bank Stock Investment,	98.00		
Total for Charities.	\$17,603.95		17,603.95
Total forward,			\$237,247.38

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$560,306.74
<i>Sf. Soldiers' Benefits.</i>			
86. State Aid,	\$3,727.83		
87. Military Aid,	256.00		
88. Soldiers' Burials,	100.00		
89. Soldiers' Relief			
Total from Soldiers' Benefits,	\$4,083.83		4,083.83
<i>Sg. Schools.</i>			
90. Tuition and Transportation of State Wards			
91. Other Tuition,	\$160.00		
92. Sale of Text Books and Sup- plies,	2.00		
93. Miscellaneous (Including Reimbursement from State for Vocational and Americanization),	2,192.59		
Sale of Land,		\$20.00	
Total from Schools,	\$2,264.59	\$20.00	2,284.59
<i>Sh. Libraries.</i>			
94. Fines, Rentals, Sales			
95. Miscellaneous			
Total forward,			\$566,675.16

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$237,247.38
<i>1f. Soldiers' Benefits.</i>			
75. General Administration			
76. State Aid,	\$2,582.00		
77. Military Aid,	114.00		
78. Soldiers' Burials,	120.00		
79. Soldiers' Relief,	7,231.01		
Total for Soldiers' Benefits,	\$10,047.01		10,047.01
<i>1g. Schools.</i>			
80. General Expenses			
a. Administrative Salaries,	\$3,547.00		
b. Other General Salaries,	1,420.80		
c. Other General Expenses,	2,703.02		
81. Teachers' Salaries,	113,263.79		
82. Text Books and Supplies, (Typewriters, etc.),	7,828.30	\$803.25	
83. Tuition			
84. Transportation,	5,771.40		
85. Support of Truants,			
86. Janitors' Services,	9,463.00		
87. Fuel and Light,	11,639.42		
88. Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,	12,950.57		
89. New Buildings (Portable House),		4,925.00	
90. Furniture and Furnishings,	746.26	388.00	
91. Rent			
92. Other Expenses,	127.95		
Total for Schools,	\$169,461.51	\$6,116.25	175,577.76
<i>1h. Libraries.</i>			
93. Salaries and Wages			
94. Books, Periodicals, etc.			
95. Binding			
96. Fuel and Light			
97. Buildings			
98. Other Expenses,	\$4,346.12		
Total for Libraries,	\$4,346.12		4,346.12
Total forward,			\$427,218.27

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$566,615.16
<i>Si. Recreation.</i>			
96. Parks and Gardens,	\$450.00		
97. Playgrounds and Gymnasia			
98. Bathhouses and Beaches,	717.40		
99. Celebrations and Entertainments			
Total from Recreation	<hr/> \$1,167.40		1,167.40
Total forward,			<hr/> \$567,842.56

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$427,218.27
1i. <i>Recreation.</i>			
99. General Administration			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Other Expenses			
100. Parks and Gardens			
a. Salaries and Wages,	\$2,600.45		
b. Improvements and Additions			
c. Metropolitan Park Maint.			
d. Other Expenses,	849.56		
101. Playgrounds and Gymnasia			
a. Salaries and Wages			
b. Improvements and Additions,		\$149.89	
c. Other Expenses			
102. Bathhouses and Beaches			
a. Salaries and Wages,	660.90		
b. Improvements and Additions			
c. Other Expenses,	553.72		
103. Celebrations and Entertainments			
a. Fourth of July			
b. Labor Day			
c. Band Concerts			
d. All other			
e. Tercentenary Com.	9,995.00		
f. Selectmen, Fund for Entertainment,	404.77		
Total for Recreation,	\$15,064.40	\$149.89	15,214.29
Total forward,			\$442,432.56

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$567,842.56
<i>Sj. Pensions.</i>			
100.			
Total from Pensions,			
<i>Sk. Unclassified.</i>			
101. Receipts not Recorded under Previous Classifications			
a.			
b.			
c.			
d.			
Total from Unclassified			
Total forward,			<hr/> \$567,842.56

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$442,432.56
1j. Pensions.			
104. Retirement from			
a.	Department		
b.	Department		
c.	Department		
Total for Pensions			
1k. Unclassified.			
105. Damages to Persons and Personal Property,	\$55.55		
106. Memorial Day,	225.00		
107. City and Town Clocks,	201.76		
108. Searching Parties			
109. Ice for Drinking Fountains			
110. Payments not Recorded under Previous Classifi- cations			
a. Printing City or Town Reports,	1,497.70		
b. Sexton,	125.00		
c. Care of Flags on Train- ing Green,	123.04	\$11.13	
d. Refinishing Honor Roll,	11.75		
e. Ringing Bells,	4.00		
f. Auctioneer's Services,	5.00		
Total for Unclassified,	\$2,248.80	\$11.13	2,259.93
Total forward,			\$444,692.49

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$567,842.56

9. PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.

102.	Electric		
	a. Income from Sale of Light and Power		
	b. Miscellaneous		
103.	Gas		
	a. Income from Sale of Gas		
	b. Sale of By-products		
	c. Miscellaneous		
104.	Water		
	a. Income from Sale of Water,	\$38,961.61	
	b. Miscellaneous,	406.12	
105.	All Other		
	a. Markets		
	b. Public Scales		
	c. Docks and Wharves		
	d. Ferries		
	e. Herring and Alewife Fisheries,	6,610.00	
	f. Miscellaneous		
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Total from Public Service En- terprises,	\$45,977.73		45,977.73

10. CEMETERIES.

106.	Sale of Lots and Graves,	\$516.74	
107.	Care of Lots and Graves,	1,089.79	
108.	Care of Endowed Lots (Interest on Funds),	456.79	
109.	Miscellaneous,	1,125.19	
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Total from Cemeteries,	\$3,188.51		3,188.51

11. ADMINISTRATION OF TRUST FUNDS.

110.			
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112.			
Total from Administration of Trust Funds			
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Total forward,			\$617,008.80

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward,			\$444,692.49

2. PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.

111.	Electric			
	a. Maintenance and Operation			
	b. Construction			
112.	Gas			
	a. Maintenance and Operation			
	b. Construction			
113.	Water			
	a. Maintenance and Operation,	\$19,189.91		
	b. Metropolitan Water Maint.			
	c. Construction,		\$3,962.26	
114.	All Other			
	a. Markets			
	b. Public Scales			
	c. Docks and Wharves			
	d. Ferries			
	e. Herring and Alewife Fisheries,	83.50		
	f. Miscellaneous			
Total for Public Service Enterprises,		\$19,273.41	\$3,962.26	23,235.67

3. CEMETERIES.

115.	Maintenance,	\$12,615.41		
116.	Improvements and Additions		203.87	
Total for Cemeteries,		\$12,615.41	\$203.87	12,819.28

4. ADMINISTRATION OF TRUST FUNDS.

117.				
118.				
119.				
Total for Administration of Trust Funds				
Total forward,				\$480,747.44

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Revenue for Expenses	Indebtedness	Total
Total forward,			\$617,008.80

12. INTEREST.

113. On Deposits			
114. On Deferred Taxes,	\$3,640.77		
115. On Deferred Special As- sessments			
116. On Sinking Funds			
117. On Investment Funds,	300.00		
118. On Public Trust Funds			
a. Charity,	119.80		
b. School,	18.47		
c. Library,	96.12		
d. Cemetery (for general care)			
e. All Other (Parks),	101.25		
119. Miscellaneous			
Total from Interest,	\$4,276.41		4,276.41

13. MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS.

120. Loans in Anticipation of Revenue,	\$275,000.00		
121. Other Temporary Loans			
122. Loans for General Purposes			
123. Trust Funds Used			
124. Loans for Public Service Enterprises			
125. Loans for Cemeteries			
126. Bonds Refunded, Current Year			
127. Premiums			
128. Unpaid Warrants or Orders of Current Year,		512.50	
Total from Municipal Indebtedness,	\$275,512.50		275,512.50
Total forward,			\$896,797.71

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Expenses	Indebtedness	Total
Total forward,			\$180,747.44

5. INTEREST.

120.	On Loans in Anticipation of Revenue,	\$8,611.62
121.	On Other Temporary Loans	
122.	On Loans for General Purposes,	5,417.25
123.	On Trust Funds Used	
124.	On Loans for Public Service Enterprises,	1,568.50
125.	On Loans for Cemeteries	
126.	Metropolitan Interest Requirements a. Sewer b. Park c. Water	
127.	State Assessment for Interest on account of Abolition of Grade Crossings	
128.	All Other	

Total for Interest,	\$15,597.37	15,597.37
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6. MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS.

129	Loans in Anticipation of Revenue,	\$260,000.00
130.	Other Temporary Loans	
131.	Bonds and Notes from Sinking Funds	
	a. General b. Public Service Enterprises c. Cemeteries	
132.	Bonds and Notes from Revenue	
	a. General,	\$25,900.00
	b. Public Service Enterprises,	5,266.66
	c. Cemeteries	
133.	Metropolitan Sinking Fund and Serial Loan Requirements	
	a. Sewer b. Park c. Water	
134.	State Assessment for Abolition of Grade Crossing Loan Fund	
135.	Bonds Refunded, Current Year	
136.	Warrants or Orders of Previous Years,	567.50

Total for Municipal Indebtedness,	\$31,166.66	\$260,567.50	291,734.16
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Total forward,	\$788,078.97
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RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.	Non-Revenue	Total
Total forward,		\$896,797.71

14. SINKING FUNDS.

From Commissioner to meet Loans for—

- 129. General Purposes
- 130. Public Service Enterprises
- 131. Cemeteries
- Total from Sinking Funds

15. AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS.

Temporary
Accounts

Agency—

- 132. Taxes
 - Included in General Receipts
 - a. State
 - b. Non-Resident Bank
 - c. County
- 133. Liquor Licenses Collected for the State
- 134. Reimbursement for Abolition of Grade Crossings
- 135. All Other

Trust—

- 136. Perpetual Care Funds, \$3,972.59
- 137. Other Permanent Trust Funds, .53
- 138. Income for Investment
- 139. Private Trust Funds and Accounts

Investment—

- 140. Sinking Fund Securities
- 141. Investment Fund Securities

Total from Agency, Trust and Investment Transactions,	\$3,973.12	3,973.12
Total forward,		\$900,770.83

PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	From Revenue	From Non- Revenue	Total
Total forward,			\$788,078.97

7. SINKING FUNDS.

To Commissioners for Debt Requirements—

- 137. From Taxes, Earnings, etc.
- 138. From Special Assessments
- 139. From Sale of Real Estate, etc.
- Total from Sinking Funds

8. AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS.

	Temporary Accounts	
<i>Agency—</i>		
140. Taxes		
a. State,	\$61,868.80	
b. Non-Resident Bank,	5,834.78	
c. County,	31,399.60	
141. Liquor Licenses Remitted to the State		
142. Abolition of Grade Crossings		
143. All Other		
<i>Trust—</i>		
144. Perpetual Care Funds,	3,972.59	
145. Other Permanent Public Trust Funds	.53	
146. Income Invested		
147. Private Trust Funds and Accounts		
<i>Investment—</i>		
148. Sinking Fund Securities		
149. Investment Fund Securities		
Total for Agency, Trust and Investment Transactions,	\$103,076.30	103,076.30
Total forward,		\$891,155.27

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Receipts.

Temporary Accounts and Cash Balances	Total
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Total forward,	\$900,170.83
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16. REFUNDS.

142. Taxes	
143. Licenses	
144. Special Assessments	
145. General Departments,	\$1,905.40
146. Public Service Enterprises,	7.50
147. Cemeteries,	11.25
148. Accrued Interest	
149. All Other	

Total Refunds,	\$1,924.15	1,924.15
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17. TRANSFERS.

150. Departmental	
a. Taxes from Misc. Acct.,	\$74.32
b. Fire Dept. from Fire Dept. Spec. Appro.	7.87
c. Sewers from School Dept.,	36.06
d. Roads and Bridges from School Dept.,	21.50
e. Roads and Br. from Sidewalks; Maint.	604.75
f. Roads and Br. from Sidewalks; granolithic,	1,332.04
g. Roads and Br. from Street Sprinkling,	948.55
h. Roads and Br. from Highway Const.,	214.00
i. Schools from Smith-Hughes Funds,	13.22
j. Water Dept. from Water Dept. Const.,	1,625.20
k. Misc. Acct. from Tercentenary Comm.	1.37

Total Transfers,	\$4,878.88	4,878.88
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18. BALANCES.

151. General,	\$13,558.32
152. Sinking Fund	
153. Investment Fund	
154. Perpetual Care Fund	
155. Other Public Trust Fund	
156. Private Trust Funds and Accounts	

Total Cash on Hand Beginning of Year,	\$13,558.32	13,558.32
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Grand Total Receipts and Cash on Hand,	\$921,132.18
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PAYMENTS.

Objects of Payments,	Temporary Accounts and Cash Balances	Total
Total forward,		\$891,155.27

9. REFUNDS.

150. Taxes (1919 Non-Res. Bank Tax to State)	\$1,592.12	
151. Licenses		
152. Special Assessments		
153. General Departments,	1,905.40	
154. Public Service Enterprises,	7.50	
155. Cemeteries,	11.25	
156. Accrued Interest		
157. All Other		
Total Refunds,	<hr/> \$3,516.27	3,516.27

10. TRANSFERS.

158. Departmental		
a. Misc. Acct. to Taxes,	\$74.32	
b. F. D. Special to Fire Dept.,	7.87	
c. Schools to Sewers,	36.06	
d. Schools to Roads and Bridges,	21.50	
e. Sidewalks to Roads and Bridges,	604.75	
f. Granolithic to Roads and Bridges,	1,332.04	
g. Street Sprinkling to Roads and Bridges,	948.55	
h. Highway Const. to Roads and Bridges,	214.00	
i. Smith-Hughes F. to School Dept.,	13.22	
j. Water Const. to Water Dept. Maint.	1,625.20	
k. Tercentenary C. to Misc. Acct.	1.37	
Total Transfers,	<hr/> \$4,878.88	4,878.88

11. BALANCES.

159. General,	\$21,581.76	
160. Sinking Fund		
161. Investment Fund		
162. Perpetual Care Fund		
163. Other Public Trust Fund		
164. Private Trust Funds and Accounts		
Total Cash on Hand End of Year,	<hr/> \$21,581.76	21,581.76
Grand Total Payments and Cash on Hand,		<hr/> \$921,132.18

SCHEDULE B.

Being a detailed statement of each appropriation, showing the additions
to and the payments from.

SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$2,200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Chairman,	\$350.00	
Other Selectmen,	600.00	
Clerk,	300.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,750.00
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$62.54	
Printing and Advertising,	151.10	
Car Fares and Teams,	71.42	
All Other,	43.50	
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Total Other Expenses,		328.56
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Total Payments,		2,078.56
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$121.44

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$1,700.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Town Accountant,	\$1,500.00	
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$86.78	
Printing and Advertising,	70.90	
All Other,	15.65	
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Total Other Expenses,	173.33	
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Total Payments,		1,673.33
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$26.67

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$1,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Town Treasurer,	\$1,300.00	
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$88.78	
Treasurer's Bond,	100.00	
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Total Other Expenses,	188.78	
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Total Payments,		1,488.78
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$11.22

TAX COLLECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$2,000.00	
Appropriated from Reserve,	150.00	
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Total,		\$2,150.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Tax Collector,	\$1,450.00	
Clerical Assistance,	106.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,556.00
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$360.64	
Printing and Advertising,	120.25	
Collector's Bond,	100.00	
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Total Other Expenses,		580.89
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Total Payments,		\$2,136.89
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$13.11

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1919 Salaries,	\$10.00	
Appropriation March 27,	3,600.00	
Appropriation May 29,	300.00	
Appropriated from Reserve,	250.00	
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Total,		\$4,220.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Assessors' Salaries, balance 1919,	\$70.00	
Assessors' Salaries,	3,000.00	
Clerks,	216.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$3,346.00
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$23.06	
Printing and Advertising,	661.50	
Car Fares, Teams, etc.,	88.95	
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Total Other Expenses,		773.51
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Total Payments,		4,119.51
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$100.49

ASSESSORS' PLANS.

Appropriation,	\$1,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid for Surveying and Plans,	\$1,000.00

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1919 bills,	\$130.00	
Appropriation March 27,	800.00	
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Total,		\$930.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Town Counsel,	\$100.00	
Special Attorneys,	200.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$300.00	
All Other Expenses,	5.85	
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Total Payments,		305.85
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$624.15

TOWN CLERK'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$850.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Town Clerk,	\$100.00	
Fees for Recording,	501.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$601.00	
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$88.18	
Printing and Advertising,	24.08	
All Other,	11.87	
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Total Other Expenses,	124.13	
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Total Payments,		725.13
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$124.87

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$900.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Town Engineer,	\$600.00	
Labor,	272.50	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$872.50
Other Expenses:		
All Other,		26.44
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Total Payments,		898.94
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1.06

STREET LINE SURVEY.

Appropriation,		\$200.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Paid for Surveying,		124.06
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$75.94

PLANNING BOARD.

Appropriation,		\$100.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Paid for Surveying and Maps,		\$100.00

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION.

Appropriation,	\$1,000.00	
Appropriation from Reserve,	221.00	
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Total,		\$1,221.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Registrars,	\$280.00	
Clerk,	100.00	
Election Officers,	308.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$688.00	
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$4.25	
Printing and Advertising,	267.80	
Meals,	235.89	
All Other,	17.96	
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Total Other Expenses,	529.90	
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Total Payments,		1,213.90
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$7.10

MAINTENANCE OF TOWN HOUSE.

Appropriation,	\$1,800.00	
Appropriated from Reserve,	446.69	
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Total,		\$2,246.69
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salary of Janitor,	\$505.35	
Fuel,	368.53	
Light,	208.80	
Janitor's Supplies,	78.28	
Repairs,	369.64	
Telephones,	80.52	
Election Expenses,	551.06	
All Other,	53.05	
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Total Payments,		\$2,215.23
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$31.46

TOWN HALL.

Appropriation voted Oct. 11, 1919,	\$300,000.00
No Bonds Issued. No Payments.	

ARCHITECT'S SERVICES ON ACCOUNT OF WORKING DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR TOWN HALL.

Appropriation August 7, 1920,	\$10,526.26
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid Little & Russell,	\$10,526.26

TOWN HALL COMMITTEE.

Balance from 1919,	\$1,249.58
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid for Printing,	2.40
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Balance Remaining,	\$1,247.18

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation March 27,	\$13,500.00	
Appropriation Dec. 30,	350.00	
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Total,		\$13,850.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Chief,	\$2,024.17	
Patrolmen,	8,956.14	
Special Officers,	559.70	
Janitor,	455.00	
All Other Employees,	20.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$12,015.01	

Transportation:		
Auto Expense,	\$814.28	
Horse and Auto Hire,	7.50	
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Total Transportation,		821.78
Equipment and Repairs:		
New Equipment,	\$41.56	
Repairs,	22.68	
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Total Equipment and Repairs,		64.24
Fuel and Light:		
Coal and Wood,	\$536.49	
Gas and Electricity,	84.72	
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Total Fuel and Light,		621.21
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
Repairs,	\$15.00	
Janitor's Supplies,	63.61	
All Other,	23.00	
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Total Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,		101.61
Other Expenses:		
Printing, Stationery and Postage,	\$35.28	
Telephones,	135.63	
All Other,	47.70	
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Total Other Expenses,		218.61
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Total Payments,		13,842.46
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$7.54

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1919 Bills,	\$436.63	
Appropriation March 27,	22,500.00	
Appropriated from Reserve,	221.37	
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Total,		\$23,158.00

Payments—

Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Chief,	\$1,950.00	
Salary of Assistant Chief,	1,777.14	
Firemen,	13,430.99	
Call Men, Balance 1919,	94.14	
Call Men, 1920,	2,503.75	
Other Employees,	113.09	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$19,869.11
Equipment and Repairs:		
Apparatus,	\$740.42	
Hose,	14.13	
Equipment for Men,	21.46	
Fire Alarm,	503.28	
Horse and Auto Hire,	37.50	
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Total Equipment and Repairs,		\$1,316.79
Hydrant Service:		
Repairs,		310.88
Fuel and Light:		
Coal and Wood,	\$833.82	
Gas and Electricity,	407.50	
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Total Fuel and Light,		1,241.32
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
Janitor's Supplies,	\$209.22	
Repairs,	15.71	
Total Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,		224.93
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Stationery,	\$68.92	
Telephones,	58.25	
Freight and Express,	12.63	
All Other,	53.85	
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Total Other Expenses,		\$193.65
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Total Payments,		23,156.68
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1.32

FIRE DEPARTMENT, MOTOR APPARATUS.

Balance from 1919,	\$2.54
Paid for Apparatus,	\$2.54

FIRE DEPARTMENT. IMPROVEMENTS AT CENTRAL STATION.

Balance from 1919,	\$59.23
Paid for Labor and Materials,	\$59.23

SEALING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Appropriation,		\$1,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Salary of Sealer,	\$373.58	
Salary of Deputy Sealer,	211.40	
Labor,	158.32	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$743.30
Other Expenses:		
Stationery and Postage,	\$4.16	
Car Fares, Teams, etc.,	162.32	
All Other,	55.42	
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Total Other Expenses,		221.90
Total Payments,		965.20
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$34.80

MOTH SUPPRESSION.

Appropriation,		\$7,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent,	\$1,149.50	
Labor,	2,383.55	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$3,533.05
Other Expenses:		
Auto and Sprayer Expense,	\$1,124.22	
Insecticides,	1,648.67	
Hardware and Tools,	228.10	
Car Fares, Teams, etc.,	429.00	
Telephone,	30.32	
Printing, Stationery, Postage,	6.00	
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Total Other Expenses,		3,466.31
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Total Payments,		6,999.36
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		.64

TREE WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$2,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent,	\$352.30	
Labor,	846.60	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$1,198.90
Other Expenses:		
Hardware and Tools,	\$213.74	
Teams and Trucks,	178.80	
Telephone,	3.81	
Insecticides,	787.05	
All Other.	117.56	
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Total Other Expenses,		1,300.96
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Total Payments,		2,499.86
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		.14

TREE WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR PLANTING SHADE TREES.

Appropriation,		\$1,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent,	\$156.75	
Labor,	280.00	
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Total Salaries and Wages,		\$436.75
Other Expenses:		
Trees,	\$482.96	
Teams,	45.00	
Loam,	35.00	
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Total Other Expenses,		562.96
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Total Payments,		999.71
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$.29

TREE WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT. NEW SPRAYER.

Appropriation,	\$2,000.00
Paid for Sprayer and Hose,	1,999.00
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$1.00

FOREST WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$2,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salaries and Wages:	
Forest Warden,	\$300.00
Fighting Fires,	841.14
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$1,141.14

Other Expenses:

Apparatus,	\$783.36	
Team Hire,	227.08	
Telephone,	31.34	
All Other,	66.15	
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Total Other Expenses,	1,107.93	
Total Payments,		\$2,249.07
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$250.93

SHELL FISH.

Appropriation,	\$600.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salary of Supervisor,	\$600.00

INLAND FISHERIES.

Appropriation,	\$200.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Fish and Transportation,	158.00
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$42.00

PLYMOUTH COUNTY FARM BUREAU.

Appropriation,	\$250.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
To the Treasurer of the Bureau,	\$250.00

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE.

Balance from 1919,	\$430.91
<i>Payments—</i>	
Labor and Material used on Honor Roll,	11.75
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Balance Remaining,	\$419.16

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation, \$12,200.00

Payments—

General Expenses:

Salary of Chairman,	\$325.00
Salary of Secretary,	225.00
Clerical Assistance,	55.00
Stationery and Postage,	63.62
Printing and Advertising,	36.10
Freight and Express,	1.21
All Other,	91.14

Total General Expenses, \$797.07

Quarantine and Contagious Diseases:

Board and Treatment,	\$461.73
Medical Attendance,	40.00
Drugs and Medicines,	10.59
Groceries and Provisions,	104.57
Maintenance of Contagious Ward in Jordan Hospital,	2,000.00
All Other,	63.00

Total Quarantine and Contagious Diseases, 2,679.89

Tuberculosis:

Board and Care,	\$2,679.41
Medical Attendance,	78.00
Groceries and Provisions,	188.40
All Other,	127.53

Total Tuberculosis, 3,073.34

Vital Statistics:

Births,	\$20.50
Deaths,	89.95

Total Vital Statistics, 110.45

Other Expenses:

Agent (Including Ship Inspection),	\$353.50
Plumbing Inspectors,	391.50
Fumigation and Disinfecting,	139.17
All Other,	45.00

Total Other Expenses, 929.17

Inspection:		
Animals,	\$400.00	
Meats and Provisions,	801.25	
Milk and Vinegar,	456.77	
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Total Inspection,		1,658.02
Public Dump:		
Labor,	\$1,620.01	
Expenses,	142.12	
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Total Public Dump,		1,762.13
Tuberculosis Dispensary:		
Physicians,	\$304.00	
Nurse,	222.00	
Janitor's Service,	88.00	
Rent,	357.50	
Light,	15.75	
Supplies,	140.43	
All Other,	32.00	
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Total Tuberculosis Dispensary,		1,159.68
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Total Payments,		12,169.75
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$30.25

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, LAND FOR DUMP.

Balance from 1919,	\$200.00
No Payments.	

PLYMOUTH COUNTY HOSPITAL MAINTENANCE.

Appropriation,	\$1,732.31
<i>Payments—</i>	
Paid to the Treasurer of Plymouth County,	\$1,732.31

DEEPENING BED OF EEL RIVER BELOW BRIDGE.

Balance from 1919,	\$16.53
Appropriation March 27,	700.00
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Total,	\$716.53
No Payments.	

PUBLIC SANITARIES.

Appropriation,		\$550.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Janitor,	\$225.00	
Supplies,	143.09	
Repairs,	177.04	
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Total Payments,		545.13
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$4.87

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1919 Bills,	\$24.45	
Appropriation March 27,	2,500.00	
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Total,		\$2,524.45
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$1,796.28	
Teams,	68.77	
Equipment,	119.81	
Pipe and Fittings,	344.07	
Brick and Cement,	195.36	
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Total Payments,		2,524.29
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		.16

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,	\$63,150.00	
From Revenue for State Highway Tax,	7,732.73	
Reimbursement Appropriated Dec. 30,	1,627.67	
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Total,		\$72,510.40
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Administration:		
Superintendent,	\$865.61	
Clerical Assistance,	194.00	
All Other,	1,376.57	
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Total General Administration,		\$2,436.18

General Highway Expenditures:

Labor,	\$27,951.67
Teams and Trucks,	3,536.28
Stone, Gravel, etc.,	5,401.96
Tar and Oils,	7,744.80
Pipe and Cement,	541.62
Equipment,	2,620.80
Repairs,	1,731.46
Auto Expense,	1,475.39
Hay and Grain,	1,551.76
Horseshoeing and Care,	151.25
Freight and Express,	1,354.13
State Highway Tax,	7,732.73
All Other,	1,155.33

Total General Highway Expenditures,	62,949.18
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Street Cleaning:

Labor,	\$4,031.26
Teams,	851.96
Equipment,	158.46

Total Street Cleaning,	5,041.68
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Other Expenses:

Drinking Fountains,	\$104.73
Street Signs,	527.06
Fences,	463.10

Total Other Expenses,	1,094.89
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Paving Westerly Side of Main Street,
North of Middle Street.

(Construction paid for from Maintenance Appro.)

Payment to Contractors,	977.50
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Total Payments,	72,499.43
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$10.97
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PAVING WESTERLY SIDE OF MAIN STREET, SOUTH OF
MIDDLE STREET.

Appropriation,	\$3,500.00
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Payments—

To contractors, Simpson Bros., Corp'n.,	\$3,500.00
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MAIN STREET EXTENSION BRIDGE.

Balance of Roads and Bridges Appro., 1919,	
Reserved for Completion of Contract,	\$968.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
To contractor, E. L. Sampson,	\$968.00

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION.

Balance from 1919,	\$39.41
<i>Payments—</i>	
Labor and Materials,	38.77
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Balance Remaining,	.64

WATER STREET EXTENSION.

Balance from 1919,	\$13.11
No Payments.	

MAIN STREET EXTENSION.

ALTERATIONS AND SIDEWALK.

Balance from 1919,		\$480.18
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$97.65	
Material,	69.27	
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Total Payments,		166.92
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Balance Remaining,		\$313.26

SANDWICH STREET (RESURFACE)
JABEZ CORNER TO JORDAN HOSPITAL.

Balance from 1919,		\$3,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$627.20	
Teams,	499.88	
Stone,	87.70	
Tar,	1,572.50	
All Other,	205.90	
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Total Payments,		2,993.18
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Balance Remaining,		\$6.82

WARREN AVENUE MACADAM—FROM MANOMET CHURCH
TO WHITE HORSE ROAD.

Balance from 1919,		\$5,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$452.40	
Teams,	142.88	
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Total Payments,		595.28
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Balance Remaining,		\$4,404.72

WARREN AVENUE WIDENING DAMAGES.

Balance from 1919,	\$512.39	
<i>Payments—</i>		
Paid for Land Damage,		90.00
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Balance Remaining,		\$422.39

WARREN AVENUE WIDENING CONSTRUCTION.

Balance from 1919,	\$357.50
No Payments.	

BEAVER DAM ROAD.

Balance from 1919,		\$228.18
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$58.60	
Teams,	5.25	
Gravel,	.40	
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Total Payments,		64.25
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Balance Remaining,		\$163.93

BARTLETT ROAD.

Balance from 1919,		\$221.83
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	157.00	
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Balance Remaining,		\$64.83

SAMOSET AVENUE.

Balance from 1919,		\$55.61
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	11.00	
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Balance Remaining,		\$44.61

SIDEWALKS—1919 APPROPRIATION.

Balance from 1919 (Reserved for Granolithic),		\$1,650.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$700.00	
Cement,	414.40	
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Total Payments,		1,114.40
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Balance Remaining,		\$535.60

SIDEWALKS.

Appropriation March 27,		\$3,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$1,095.68	
Teams,	167.50	
Materials,	534.99	
	<hr/>	1,798.17
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		<hr/> \$1,201.83

SIDEWALKS; GRANOLITHIC.

Appropriation March 27,	\$3,000.00	
Reimbursements Appropriated Dec. 30,	492.44	
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Total,		\$3,492.44
<i>Payments—</i>		
Granolithic (Contract),	\$241.40	
Labor,	1,875.75	
Cement,	982.84	
Stone and Gravel,	170.00	
All Other,	39.32	
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Total Payments,		\$3,309.31
Balance Remaining,		<hr/> \$183.13

MANOMET SIDEWALK.

Balance from 1919,	\$78.90
No Payments.	

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL.

Appropriation,	\$11,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Labor,	\$10,544.12
Teams,	539.90
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Total Payments,	11,084.02
Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	<hr/> \$415.98

STREET SPRINKLING.

Appropriation,		\$4,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Water:		
Labor,	\$10.40	
Teams,	1,241.26	
Equipment,	74.48	
All Other,	1.00	
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Total Water,		\$1,327.14
Other—		
Labor,	\$20.70	
Teams,	62.50	
Equipment and Repairs,	60.30	
Materials,	2,725.00	
All Other,	57.00	
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Total Other,		2,925.50
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Total Payments,		4,252.64
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$247.36

STREET LIGHTING.

Appropriation,		\$13,500.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Street Lights,	\$12,674.31	
Wharf Lights,	60.00	
Range Lights,	80.00	
Honor Roll,	21.80	
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Total Payments,		12,836.11
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$663.89

HARBOR MASTER.

Appropriation,	\$150.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salary,	\$150.00

SHORE PROPERTY.

Balance from 1919,	\$100.00
No Payments.	

PILGRIM WHARF.

Balance from 1919,	\$50.84
No Payments.	

ANCHORAGE BASIN.

Balance from 1919,	\$4.93
No Payments.	

POOR DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$15,000.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	106.09	
Total,		\$15,106.09
<i>Payments—</i>		
General Administration—		
Salary of Chairman,	\$50.00	
Salary of Secretary,	350.00	
Printing and Stationery,	10.00	
Total General Administration,		\$410.00
Almshouse—		
Salary of Superintendent,	\$624.00	
Other Salaries and Wages,	1,048.33	
Groceries and Provisions,	1,946.56	

Dry Goods and Clothing,	387.67	
Building,	264.76	
Fuel and Light,	685.09	
Equipment,	138.58	
Hay and Grain,	1,155.30	
All Other,	367.29	
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Total Almshouse,		6,617.58
Outside Relief by Town—		
Cash,	\$1,309.50	
Rent,	876.50	
Groceries and Provisions,	2,393.53	
Coal and Wood,	405.25	
Dry Goods and Clothing,	23.50	
Medical Attendance,	283.00	
Burials,	88.00	
State Institutions,	94.00	
Other Institutions,	283.40	
All Other,	216.00	
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Total Outside Relief by Town,		5,972.68
Relief Given by Other Cities and Towns—		
Cities,	\$85.43	
Towns,	172.03	
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Total Relief Given by Other Cities and Towns,	257.46	
Other Expenses,	25.34	
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Total Payments,		13,283.06
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1,823.03

INCOME FROM JULIA P. ROBINSON FUND.

Expended by Overseers of the Poor for Inmates of Almshouse, \$13.71

MOTHERS' AID.

Appropriation,		\$7,000.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Cash,	\$3,767.66	
Rent,	319.00	
Fuel,	96.52	
All Other,	26.00	
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Total Payments,		4,209.18
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$2,790.82

WIDOWS' ACCOUNT.

Balance from 1919,	\$6.00	
Income from Bank Stock,	100.00	
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Total,		\$106.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
To Widows,		98.00
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Balance Remaining,		\$8.00

STATE AID.

Payments charged to Commonwealth,	\$2,582.00
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SOLDIERS' BURIALS.

Payments charged to Commonwealth,	\$120.00
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MILITARY AID.

Payments,	\$114.00	
One Half charged to Commonwealth,	57.00	
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Balance to be Appropriated by the Town,		\$57.00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Payments—

Cash,	\$2,554.00	
Groceries and Provisions,	584.52	
Fuel,	221.55	
Medical Attendance,	1,479.00	
Board and Care,	2,391.94	
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Total Payments to be Appropriated by Town,		\$7,231.01

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation March 27,	\$172,710.00	
Appropriation December 30,	7,000.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	18.47	
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Total,		\$179,728.47

Payments—

General Expenses—

Superintendent Salary,	\$3,347.00	
Superintendent Americanization,	200.00	
Clerk,	1,120.80	
Truant Officer,	300.00	
Printing and Stationery,	392.04	
Telephone,	54.22	
Traveling Expense,	391.67	
Automobile Expense,	1,420.14	
Freight and Express,	236.77	
School Census,	116.00	
All Other,	92.18	
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Total General Expenses,		\$7,670.82

Teachers' Salaries—

Day,	\$110,343.02	
Evening,	2,814.62	
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Total Teachers' Salaries,		113,157.64

Text Books and Supplies—		
Text and Reference Books,	\$2,554.08	
Paper, Blank Books, etc.,	3,197.09	
Manual Training Supplies	105.71	
Domestic Science Supplies,	1,171.98	
Industrial Education Supplies,	182.24	
Typewriters, etc.,	803.25	
All Other,	617.20	
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Total Text Books and Supplies,		8,631.55
Transportation—		
Teams and Autos,	\$2,670.50	
Car Fares,	3,100.90	
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Total Transportation,		5,771.40
Janitors' Service—		
Day,	\$9,205.50	
Evening,	257.50	
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Total Janitors' Service,		9,463.00
Fuel and Light—		
Coal and Wood,	\$10,992.32	
Gas and Electricity,	647.10	
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Total Fuel and Light,		11,639.42
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds—		
Carpentry and Painting,	\$7,200.36	
Heating and Plumbing,	3,051.77	
Building Material,	516.96	
Flags and Flagstuffs,	82.57	
Janitors' Supplies,	1,264.18	
Telephones,	220.40	
Ashes, etc., Removed,	462.61	
All Other,	151.72	
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Total Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds,		12,950.57
Portable Building (New),		4,925.00

Furniture and Furnishings—		
For Portable Building (New),	\$388.00	
For Portable Building (Refinished),	178.89	
Desks and Chairs,	356.01	
All Other,	211.36	
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Total Furniture, etc.,		1,134.26
Other Expenses—		
Diplomas and Graduation	\$86.95	
All Other,	41.00	
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Total Other Expenses,		127.95
Medical Inspection—		
Physicians,	\$572.26	
Nurses,	2,088.00	
Fittings for Dental Clinic,	316.25	
All Other,	1,275.39	
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Total Medical Inspection,		4,251.90
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Total Payments,		179,723.51
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$4.96

SMITH-HUGHES FUNDS.

(FEDERAL FUNDS FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION).

Balance from 1919,	\$13.22	
Received from the Commonwealth, Aug. 16, 1920,	243.06	
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Total,		\$256.28
<i>Payments—</i>		
Teachers' Salaries,		106.15
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Balance Remaining,		\$150.13

SCHOOL BUILDINGS, FIRE-PROOFING OF BASEMENTS.

Balance from 1919,	\$10.81
No Payments.	

SCHOOL BUILDINGS, CHILTONVILLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL BUILDING AND LOT.

Received in 1919 from Sale of Building,	\$200.00	
Received in 1920 from Sale of Land,	20.00	
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Total,		\$220.00
No Payments.		

PLYMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation, Including 1919 Dog Tax,	\$4,000.00	
Income from Gates' Fund,	96.12	
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Total,		\$4,096.12
<i>Payments—</i>		
To Treasurer of Library,		\$4,096.12

MANOMET PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,		\$250.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
To Treasurer of the Library,		\$250.00

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$3,950.00
Income from Morton Fund,		101.25
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Total,		\$4,051.25
<i>Payments—</i>		
General—		
Salaries and Wages,	\$2,004.63	
Teams,	292.50	
All Other,	512.06	
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Total General,		\$2,809.19

Bathing Beaches—

Labor,	\$660.90
Supplies,	135.28
Repairs,	418.44

Total Bathing Beaches,	<u>1,214.62</u>
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Total Payments,	<u>4,023.81</u>
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Transfer to Training Green Appropriation,	<u>\$27.44</u>
	25.95

Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$1.49
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PARK DEPARTMENT, CUTTING AND PILING WOOD IN
MORTON PARK.

Balance from 1919,	\$160.67
Appropriation,	500.00

Total,	<u>\$660.67</u>
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Payments—

Labor,	\$307.12
Tools,	7.75

Total Payments,	<u>314.87</u>
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Balance Remaining,	\$345.80
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TRAINING GREEN.

Appropriation,	\$300.00
Transfer from Park Dept. Appro.,	25.95

Total,	<u>\$325.95</u>
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Payments—

Salaries and Wages,	\$288.70
Teams,	11.00
Loam,	11.25
All Other,	15.00

Total Payments,	<u>\$325.95</u>
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STEPHENS FIELD.

Balance from 1919,	\$.21	
Appropriation,	150.00	
Total,		\$150.21
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$10.50	
Right of Way,	25.00	
All Other,	54.39	
Total Payments,		149.89
Balance Remaining,		\$.32

SEXTON.

Appropriation,	\$125.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Salary of Sexton,	\$125.00

MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation,	\$225.00
<i>Payments—</i>	
Observance of Memorial Day,	\$225.00

TERCENTENARY COMMITTEE.

Balance from 1919,	\$4,995.00	
Appropriation July 24, 1920,	5,000.00	
Total,		\$9,995.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Salaries and Wages,		
Salary of Counsel,	\$6,500.00	
To Counsel for Living Expenses,	1,040.00	
Clerical Services, Typists,	771.02	
Engineering Services,	600.00	
Total Salaries and Wages,		\$8,911.02

Other Expenses—

Traveling Expenses of Counsel,	\$154.15
Other Traveling and Hotel Expenses,	17.00
Stationery and Postage,	791.33
Seal,	31.00
All Other,	90.50

Total Other Expenses,	<u>1,083.98</u>
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Total Payments,	<u>9,995.00</u>
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SELECTMEN FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES DURING
YEARS 1920 AND 1921.

Appropriation May 29, 1920,	\$5,000.00
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Payments—

Printing and Photographs,	\$80.45
Decorating,	112.50
Music,	114.00
Luncheons,	72.62
Traveling Expenses,	25.20

Total Payments,	<u>404.77</u>
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Balance Remaining,	<u>\$4,595.23</u>
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RECEPTION TO MILITARY AND NAVAL FORCES.

Balance from 1919,	\$577.27
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No Payments.

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

Appropriation,	\$2,500.00
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Payments—

Legislative—

Moderator, Services,	\$30.00
Moderator, Expenses,	17.14

Advisory and Finance Committee
Expenses

Services and Postage,	8.10	
Printing and Advertising,	16.00	
Tercentenary Committee Expenses		
Clerical,	132.13	
Stationery,	5.25	
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Total Legislative,		\$208.62
Certifying Notes,		54.00
Bounty on Seals,		4.00
Lungmotor,		135.00
Damages to Persons and Personal Property,		55.55
Town Clock Expense,		201.76
Care of Flags on Training Green,		134.17
Ringin ^g Bells,		4.00
Printing Town Reports,		1,497.70
Purchase of Tax Titles by Town,		74.32
Herring Stream Expenses,		83.50
Services of Auctioneer,		5.00
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Total Payments,		2,457.62
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$42.38

RESERVE ACCOUNT.

Appropriation from Reserve Overlay,	\$854.81	
Appropriation March 27,	4,145.19	
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Total,		\$5,000.00
Transfer to—		
Assessors' Department,	\$250.00	
Tax Collector's Department,	150.00	
Election and Registration,	221.00	
Town House Maintenance,	446.69	
Fire Department, for Labor and Material on Hydrants,	221.37	
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Total Transfers,		1,289.06
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$3,710.94

WATER DEPARTMENT. MAINTENANCE.

Appropriation,	\$19,000.00	
Labor and Materials to Other Departments	228.37	
Total,		\$19,228.37
<i>Payments—</i>		
Administration—		
Superintendent,	\$1,925.00	
Registrar,	975.00	
Clerk,	770.50	
Stationery, Printing, Postage,	318.28	
Telephones,	149.77	
All Other,	247.66	
Total Administration,	\$4,386.21	
General Expenditures—		
Labor,	\$5,066.01	
Teams,	85.40	
Pipe and Fittings,	1,500.48	
Meters and Fittings,	1,355.53	
Freight and Express,	199.36	
Equipment and Repairs,	556.93	
Auto Expense,	548.33	
All Other,	112.44	
Total General Expenditures,	\$9,424.48	
Less: Transfers to Construction		
for Pipe and Fittings,	1,625.20	
		7,799.28
Service Connections—		
Labor,	\$20.80	
Material,	6.00	
Total Service Connections,		26.80
Pumping Station—		
Engineers,	\$2,650.00	
Boilers and Pumps,	178.38	
Oil, Waste, Packing,	245.77	

Coal,	3,762.22	
Building,	19.25	
All Other,	122.00	
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Total Pumping Station,	6,977.62	
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Total Payments,		19,189.91
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$38.46

WATER DEPARTMENT. CONSTRUCTION.

Balance from 1919,	\$581.13	
Appropriation,	8,000.00	
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Total,		\$8,581.13
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$1,192.19	
Pipe and Fittings,	2,770.07	
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Total Payments,		3,962.26
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Balance Remaining,		\$4,618.87

OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS CEMETERIES.

Appropriation March 27,	\$10,000.00	
Appropriation Dec. 30,	500.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	244.71	
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Total,		\$10,744.71
<i>Payments—</i>		
<i>Salaries and Wages—</i>		
Superintendent,	\$1,491.50	
Clerical Assistance,	133.51	
Labor,	7,453.85	
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Total Salaries and Wages,	\$9,078.86	

Other Expenses:

Teams,	\$616.18
Loam and Fertilizer,	377.20
Trees, Shrubs, etc.,	156.58
Tools,	38.49
* Telephone,	17.51
All Other,	378.95

Total Other Expenses,	<u>1,584.91</u>
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Total Payments,	<u>10,663.77</u>
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	<u>\$80.94</u>
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OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS CEMETERIES. WATER PIPE.

Balance from 1919,	\$49.42
Appropriation,	100.00

Total,	<u>\$149.42</u>
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Payments—

Labor,	\$36.30
Pipe and Fittings,	61.22

Total Payments,	<u>97.52</u>
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Balance Remaining,	<u>51.90</u>
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BURIAL HILL CEMETERY.

Appropriation March 27,	\$1,500.00
Appropriation December 30,	50.00
Income from Trust Funds,	212.08

Total,	<u>\$1,762.08</u>
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Payments—

Salaries and Wages—

Superintendent,	\$38.50
Labor,	1,487.45

Total Salaries and Wages,	<u>\$1,525.95</u>
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Other Expenses—		
Teams,	\$60.49	
Loam and Fertilizer,	23.25	
Trees, Shrubs, etc.,	6.00	
Tools,	9.47	
Police Officer,	4.50	
All Other,	132.34	
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Total Other Expenses,	236.05	
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Total Payments,		1,762.00
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$.08

CHILTONVILLE, MANOMET, CEDARVILLE AND SOUTH
POND CEMETERIES.

Appropriation,		\$300.00
<i>Payments—</i>		
Labor,	\$166.90	
Teams,	3.00	
All Other,	19.74	
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Total Payments,		189.64
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$110.36

ADDITION TO MANOMET CEMETERY.

Balance from 1919,		\$243.25
<i>Payments—</i>		
Surveying,	\$64.75	
Markers,	35.00	
All Other,	6.40	
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Total Payments,		106.35
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Balance Remaining,		\$136.90

MONUMENTS TO PERSONS WHO SERVED IN THE REVOLUTION.

Balance from 1919,	\$59.65
No Payments.	

TOWN DEBT AND INTEREST.

Appropriation March 27,	\$46,000.00	
Appropriation December 30,	764.03	
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Total,		\$46,764.03
<i>Payments—</i>		
<i>Interest—</i>		
Loans in Anticipation of Taxes,	\$8,611.62	
Town Hall Lot Loan,	877.50	
Sewer Loans,	393.75	
School Loans,	2,212.00	
Other General Loans,	1,934.00	
Water Loans,	1,568.50	
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Total Interest,	\$15,597.37	
<i>Town Debt—</i>		
Town Hall Lot Loan,	\$1,000.00	
Sewer Loans,	1,000.00	
School Loans	10,400.00	
Other General Loans,	13,500.00	
Water Loans,	5,266.66	
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Total Town Debt	31,166.66	
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Total Payments,		\$46,764.03

SCHEDULE C.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

Credits, Amounts Actually Received—

Corporation Tax,	\$13,004.26
National Bank Tax,	1,650.21
Income Tax,	29,716.09
Income Tax (School Fund),	16,280.00
Moth Assessment,	1,183.96
Street Railway Excise Tax,	
Tax Collector's Department,	238.24
Sealing Weights and Measures,	183.01
Health Department,	178.58
Sewer Department,	193.80
Highway Department,	5.30
Poor Department,	3,070.05
School Department,	2,264.59
Park Department,	1,167.40
Cemetery Department,	2,731.72
Interest,	3,640.77
Water Department,	39,304.13
Herring Fisheries,	6,610.00

Miscellaneous—

Reimbursement for Loss of Taxes,	\$262.44
Reimbursement Soldiers' Exemptions,	161.04
Peddlers' Licenses,	162.00
Junk Licenses,	90.00
Pool and Billiard Licenses,	41.00
All Other Licenses,	317.50
Sewer Permits,	756.00
Court Fines,	363.20
Other Departmental,	181.00
Income from Bank Stock,	200.00

\$2,534.18

Total Actual Receipts,

\$123,956.29

Charges, Estimated in Making Tax Warrant—

Corporation Tax,	\$16,148.36
National Bank Tax,	2,820.39
Income Tax,	19,606.74
Income Tax (School Fund),	16,250.00
Moth Assessment,	1,019.50
Street Railway Excise Tax,	595.69
Tax Collector's Department,	223.85
Sealing Weights and Measures,	216.21
Health Department,	147.64
Sewer Department,	470.71
Highway Department,	249.69
Poor Department,	6,241.15
School Department,	1,723.32
Park Department,	1,018.65
Cemetery Department,	3,952.19
Interest,	4,057.77
Water Department,	38,938.81
Herring Fisheries,	1,387.00
Miscellaneous,	4,230.18

Total Estimated Receipts,	<u>\$119,298.45</u>
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Excess of Actual Receipts, See Revenue Account, (Schedule D.),	<u>\$4,657.84</u>
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SCHEDULE D.

REVENUE ACCOUNT 1920.

Charges—

Total Appropriations,	\$513,237.09
Less Estimated Receipts,	119,298.45
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Amount to be Assessed,	\$393,938.64

Credits—

Assessors' Warrants,	\$388,938.64
Excess of Non-Resident Bank Tax,	41.92
Excess of Estimated Receipts (Schedule C.),	4,657.84
Deficit, Charged to Excess and Deficiency 1920, (Schedule E.),	300.24
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	\$393,938.64

SCHEDULE E.

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY 1920.

Credits—

Unexpended Balances—

Selectmen's Department,	\$121.44
Accounting Department,	26.67
Treasury Department,	11.22
Tax Collector's Department,	13.11
Assessors' Department,	100.49
Law Department,	624.15
Town Clerk's Department,	124.87
Engineering Department,	1.06
Street Line Survey,	75.94
Election and Registration,	7.10
Maintenance of Town House,	31.46
Police Department,	7.54
Fire Department,	1.32
Sealing Weights and Measures,	34.80
Moth Department,	.64
Tree Warden's Department,	1.43
Forest Warden's Department,	250.93
Inland Fisheries,	42.00
Health Department,	30.25
Public Sanitaries,	4.87
Sewer Department,	.16
Roads and Bridges,	10.97
Sidewalks,	1,201.83
Snow and Ice Removal,	415.98
Street Sprinkling,	247.36
Street Lighting,	663.89
Poor Department,	1,823.03

Mothers' Aid,	2,790.82	
School Department,	4.96	
Park Department,	1.49	
Miscellaneous Account,	42.38	
Reserve Account,	3,710.94	
Water Department Maintenance,	38.46	
Oak Grove and Vine Hills Cemeteries,	80.94	
Burial Hill Cemetery,	.08	
Chiltonville, Manomet, Cedarville and South Pond Cemeteries,	110.36	
Total Balances,		\$12,654.94
Charges—		
Deficit in Revenue Account (Schedule D.),		300.24
Total Excess (See Balance Sheet),		\$12,354.70

SCHEDULE F.

BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1921.

Revenue Accounts.

Revenue Cash,					
Uncollected Taxes.					
Herbert W. Bartlett, Col.—					
Tax of 1919,	\$23,435.54				\$8,148.86
Tax of 1920,	66,717.17				872.53
Total Uncollected Taxes,		90,152.71			40,000.00
Uncollected Water Rates, etc.:					512.50
N. Reeves Jackson, Col.—					1,230.60
Rates of 1918, and prior, \$382.68					8.00
Labor, etc., 1918, and prior, 7.50					
[Rates of 1919, 840.25					
Labor, etc., 1919, 10.00					
Rates of 1920, 6,911.80					
Labor, etc., 1920, 77.40					
Total Uncollected Water Rates, etc.,		8,229.63			
Revenue Cash,					
Uncollected Taxes.					
Herbert W. Bartlett, Col.—					
Tax of 1919,	\$23,435.54				\$7,650.44
Tax of 1920,	66,717.17				498.42
Total Uncollected Taxes,		90,152.71			
Uncollected Water Rates, etc.:					
N. Reeves Jackson, Col.—					
Rates of 1918, and prior, \$382.68					\$1,247.18
Labor, etc., 1918, and prior, 7.50					419.16
[Rates of 1919, 840.25					535.60
Labor, etc., 1919, 10.00					50.84
Rates of 1920, 6,911.80					
Labor, etc., 1920, 77.40					
Total Uncollected Water Rates, etc.,		8,229.63			
Revenue Cash,					
Uncollected Taxes.					
Herbert W. Bartlett, Col.—					
Tax of 1919,	\$23,435.54				\$8,148.86
Tax of 1920,	66,717.17				872.53
Total Uncollected Taxes,		90,152.71			40,000.00
Uncollected Water Rates, etc.:					512.50
N. Reeves Jackson, Col.—					1,230.60
Rates of 1918, and prior, \$382.68					8.00
Labor, etc., 1918, and prior, 7.50					
[Rates of 1919, 840.25					
Labor, etc., 1919, 10.00					
Rates of 1920, 6,911.80					
Labor, etc., 1920, 77.40					
Total Uncollected Water Rates, etc.,		8,229.63			

(Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—	
State Aid,	\$2,582.00
Military Aid, one-half,	57.00
Soldiers' Burials,	120.00
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	\$2,759.00
Less. Unadjusted War Bonus,	537.00
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Total Due from State,	2,222.00
Overdrafts:	
Military Aid, one-half,	\$57.00
Soldiers' Relief,	7,231.01
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Total Overdrafts,	7,288.01
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	\$117,411.91
Selectmen, for Entertainment	
Purposes during 1920 and 1921,	4,595.23
Cemetery, for Water Pipe,	51.90
Cemetery, for Monuments,	59.65
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Total Unexpended Balances,	8,032.76
Excess and Deficiency, Jan. 1, 1920, \$55,554.07	
Add: Error in State and Military Aid, 23.00	
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Less:	\$55,577.07
Appro. Mar. 27, 1920, \$661.08	
Appro. Dec. 30, 1920, 8,664.03	
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Total Deductions,	9,325.11
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	\$46,251.96
Excess and Deficiency, 1920,	12,354.70
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	58,606.66
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	\$117,411.91

Non-Revenue Accounts.

Non-Revenue Cash, Loans Authorized,	\$12,062.20	Town Hall Appropriation,	\$300,000.00
	300,000.00	Health Dept., Land for Dump, Highway Construction,	200.00
		Water Street Extension,	.64
		Main Street Extension, Altera- tions and Sidewalk,	13.11
		Sandwich Street, Resurface from Jabez Corner to Jordan Hospital,	313.26
		Warren Ave. Widening, damages,	6.82
		Warren Ave. Widening, Construction,	422.39
		Warren Ave., Manomet Church to White Horse Road,	357.50
		Eel River, Deepening Bed,	4,404.72
		Beaver Dam Road,	716.53
		Bartlett Road,	163.93
		Samoset Avenue,	64.83
		Sidewalks: Granolithic, 1920,	44.61
		Manomet Sidewalks,	183.13
		Shore Property,	78.90
		Anchorage Basin,	100.00
		Fire-proofing School Basements, Chiltonville Grammar School,	4.93
		from Sale of Building and Land, Stephens Field,	10.81
		Water Dept., Construction,	220.00
		Addition to Manomet Cemetery,	.32
			4,618.87
			136.90
		Total Appropriations,	
	<u>\$312,062.20</u>		<u>\$312,062.20</u>

Municipal Indebtedness.

Funded Debt Balancing Account,	
	\$157,366.58
Town Hall Lot Loan,	\$19,000.00
Engine House Loan,	3,000.00
Motor Fire Apparatus Loan,	2,600.00
Sewer Loan,	10,000.00
Highway Construction Loans,	3,600.00
Street Widening Loans,	31,900.00
School Loans,	49,600.00
Water Loans,	37,666.58
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	\$157,366.58

Trust and Investment Funds.

Cash and Investments,	
	\$54,207.21
Nathaniel Morton Park Fund,	\$2,000.00
Murdock Poor and School Fund,	730.90
Francis LeBaron Poor Fund,	1,350.00
Charles Holmes Poor Fund,	500.00
Julia P. Robinson Poor Fund,	314.17
Marcia E. Jackson Gates Public Library Fund,	2,000.00
Warren Burial Hill Cemetery Fund,	1,209.11
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,	41,103.93
Old Colony National Bank Stock Investment Fund,	5,000.00
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	\$54,207.21

SCHEDULE C.

Summary of Funded Indebtedness, January 1, 1921, and Amounts
due for Principal and Interest in 1921.

LOANS	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1920	Added During 1920	Paid During 1920	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1921	Principal due in 1921	Interest due in 1921
Town Hall Lot,	\$20,000.00	Note	\$1,000.00	\$19,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$832.50
Fire Department,	9,200.00	"	3,600.00	5,600.00	3,600.00	172.00
Sewer,	11,000.00	"	1,000.00	10,000.00	1,000.00	356.25
Highway,	45,400.00	"	9,900.00	35,500.00	9,900.00	1,222.00
School,	60,000.00	"	10,400.00	49,600.00	10,400.00	1,796.00
Water,	42,933.24	"	5,266.66	37,666.58	5,266.66	1,372.50
	\$188,533.24		\$31,166.66	\$157,366.58	\$31,166.66	\$5,761.25

SCHEDULE H.

Itemized Statement of Funded Indebtedness, January 1, 1921.

Town Hall Lot Loan.

Four and one half per cent. bonds, dated March 1, 1919, payable \$1,000 annually,	\$19,000.00
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Fire Department Loans.

Four per cent. bonds, dated Sept. 1, 1905, payable \$1,000 annually,	\$3,000.00
Four per cent. bonds, dated May 5, 1916, payable \$2,600 annually,	2,600.00
Total Fire Department,	\$5,600.00

Sewer Loan.

Three and three fourths per cent. notes, dated July 1, 1903, payable \$1,000 annually,	\$10,000.00
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Highway Loans.

Four per cent. bonds dated May 15, 1916, payable \$1,150 annually,	\$6,900.00
Four per cent. bonds dated May 15, 1916, payable \$1,050 annually,	6,300.00
Four per cent. bonds, dated July 1, 1916, payable \$3,600 annually,	3,600.00
Four per cent. bonds, dated May 1, 1917, payable \$2,100 annually,	14,700.00
Four per cent. bonds, dated May 1, 1917, payable \$2,000 annually,	4,000.00
Total Highway,	\$35,500.00
Carried forward,	\$70,100.00
Brought forward,	\$70,100.00

School Loans.

Four per cent. notes, dated July 1, 1904, payable \$1,400 annually,	\$5,600.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated Oct. 1, 1913, payable \$1,000 annually,	3,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated June 1, 1914, payable \$3,500 annually,	14,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated July 1, 1916, payable \$4,500 annually,	27,000.00	
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Total School,		\$49,600.00

Water Loans.

Three and one half per cent. notes, dated May 1, 1901, payable \$1,000 annually,	\$1,000.00	
Three and three fourths per cent. notes, dated July 1, 1903, payable \$666.66 annually,	8,666.58	
Three and one half per cent. bonds, dated Nov. 15, 1905, payable \$600 annually,	3,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated July 1, 1907, payable \$1,000 annually,	12,000.00	
Four per cent. bonds, dated Feb. 15, 1908, payable \$1,000 annually,	12,000.00	
Three and one half per cent. bonds, dated June 1, 1909, payable \$1,000 annually,	1,000.00	
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Total Water,		\$37,666.58
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Total Funded Debt,		\$157,366.58

SCHEDULE I.

TRUST FUNDS.

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS.

Deposited in Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank.

Russell Tomlinson,	\$227 22
Betsey C. Bagnell,	281 23
Rebecca D. Ryder,	177 26
Lydia W. Chandler,	287 87
Curtis Howard,	660 02
Sarah F. Bagnell,	165 19
A. A. Whiting,	503 55
James Reed,	490 95
William H. Nelson,	653 44
Charles Holmes,	235 71
Louisa S. Jackson,	233 59
Judith S. Jackson,	557 67
John Donley,	103 12
David Drew,	102 61
Mary J. Brown,	50 87
Mary V. Lewis,	317 58
Priscilla L. Hedge,	266 57
Frederick Webber,	94 63
Nancie C. Wood,	1,149 56
Fannie Goodwin Bates,	462 55
Joshua Atwood,	112 23

Ichabod Shaw,	450 72
Edwin Morey,	709 62
Waldron and Dunham,	287 63
Timothy T. Eaton,	167 64
Heman Cobb,	258 83
Thomas Sampson,	229 46
Ephraim B. Holmes,	673 02
Lydia E. Jackson,	248 03
Jacob Jackson,	134 64
Charlotte R. Bearse,	245 42
Washburn Portion, Lot No. 42,	192 88
Helena B. Rich,	128 18
Winslow B. Rickard,	106 92
John Eddy,	110 64
Helen Covington,	226 54
Freeman E. Wells,	185 18
Eliza J. Burt,	151 67
David L. Harlow,	107 56
Benjamin Swift,	107 63
Ellis Benson,	102 99
James Deacon,	133 88
Ellis and Freeman,	108 86
Ansel F. Fish,	105 44
Taylor and Foss,	113 78
Mary A. Minter,	141 75
Adelaide Reed,	125 67
Elizabeth M. Ward,	253 23
Edward W. Bradford,	153 48
Harvey Lot,	116 44
Ephraim Churchill,	27 36
Franklin B. Holmes,	104 88
Linus B. Thomas,	65 53
Ephraim S. Morton,	120 74
Merriam Lot,	241 66
B. O. Strong,	78 69

John C. Cave,	101 67
Winslow B. Standish,	107 59
Calvin S. Damon,	210 31
Finney and Churchill,	122 16
Edward B. Hayden,	140 72
H. N. P. Hubbard,	107 40
Anderson Lots,	155 86
Sylvanus Churchill,	62 94
Nancy L. Pratt,	69 36
Burgess P. Terry.	140 83
William and P. H. Williams,	104 65
Increase Robinson,	425 32
August H. Lucas,	159 00
Edward Morton,	105 10
Benjamin Pierce,	52 86
Alfred P. Arnold,	103 08
Nathaniel H. Morton,	105 50
Charles H. Holmes,	114 74
Daniel Hinchcliffe,	111 66
Samuel Nelson,	115 40
Nathaniel Russell,	253 39
Sumner Leonard,	116 66
Frederick Dittmar,	109 76
Emeline Landy,	109 73
John F. Hoyt,	132 51
Pope Lot,	157 70
Nehemiah Savery,	104 59
Thomas A. Holsgrove,	166 41
John C. Ross,	221 96
Archibald McLean,	52 47
George L. Lyon,	182 84
Phineas Pierce Lot and Paty Tomb,	234 19
Charles E. Barnes,	102 11
Burgess Lot, South Pond,	194 32
Ezra Harlow,	161 04

Mercy J. Howland, Chiltonville,	123 43
Isaac M. Jackson,	1,082 06
Mary McDonald,	107 77
Mary J. Corey,	110 23
Ellis-Ryder,	116 22
Brewster-Bartlett,	348 87
Barnabas Hedge,	179 82
George M. Collins,	129 03
Alexander McLean,	112 04
Charles E. Dow,	109 04
Shaw and Thomas,	224 14
Atwood and Pratt,	223 99
Prentiss Lot,	218 84
Rufus H. Pope,	92 47
Alanson Thomas,	172 71
Albert Whiting,	120 94
Gamaliel Thomas,	105 11
Albert Bramhall,	107 74
Nancy B. Stevens,	111 24
Johnson-Hart,	106 15
Adeline D. Bartlett,	58 64
Coomer-Weston,	224 16
Edward N. H. Vaughn,	256 91
Thomas W. Finney,	113 98
Charles H. Howland, 2nd,	113 98
Davidson Lots,	220 97
James Ellis,	112 84
Allen and Franklin M. Holmes,	111 73
Marietta Bumpus,	139 65
Frederick O. Bradford,	156 90
Mercy C. Robbins,	331 60
D. Folsom Raymond,	109 28
Martin J. Hunting,	218 58
Watson and Rufus Ellis,	109 28
Herbert Robbins,	109 28

William J. Waterson,	54 01	
Belinda B. Clements,	106 89	
George D. Bartlett,	481 06	
Orrin W. and Lydia A. Bennett,	106 89	
John F. Hall,	105 72	
Charles P. Morse,	104 55	
Stephen and Almira B. Pember,	104 55	
Erastus B. Torrance,	104 55	
Winslow W. Avery,	209 09	
Daniel O. Churchill,	103 40	
Bradford Barnes,	155 09	
Zacheus Bartlett,	102 25	
Burgess and Churchill,	51 13	
Alexander M. Harrison,	101 13	
Hilda Svenssen,	101 13	
Hiram B. Sears,	202 25	
Joseph Taylor,	75 00	
Franklin B. Cobb,	100 00	
Andrew J. and Sarah E. Bradford,	100 00	
John S. Butler,	100 00	
Charles H. and Eunice B. Howland,	75 00	
Sylvanus W. King,	100 00	
Levi P. Morton,	100 00	
Whitmore-Churchill-Whitmore,	125 00	
John Bachelder,	150 00	
Richard McLean Lots,	200 00	
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Total Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,		\$28,974 15

Deposited in Plymouth Savings Bank.

Morton D. Andrews,	\$664 53
William H. Nelson,	656 62
Thomas B. Bartlett,	299 56
Rebecca F. Sampson,	240 55
Katherine E. Sever,	363 38

Mary F. Wood,	135 02
Cordelia Savery,	116 03
William Ross,	325 84
Putnam Kimball,	402 20
John Gooding,	495 83
Schuyler Sampson,	258 06
R. B. Hall,	117 43
Fanny Sylvester,	121 37
E. A. Spooner,	124 44
George Hayward,	420 07
George S. Tolman,	123 32
Elizabeth S. Tinkham,	103 19
Danforth and Thurber,	228 88
William Bartlett,	365 60
Daniel H. Paulding,	279 45
John Morissey,	253 32
Oliver T. Wood,	107 15
Sarah V. Kendrick,	63 59
Sarah A. Waldron,	191 16
Phoebe P. Ellis,	28 82
George E. and Carrie M. Benson,	153 58
Emma F. Avery,	252 80
Isaac M. Jackson,	1,000 00
Abby B. Avery and Samuel Bartlett,	254 78
Dora Perritt,	128 39
Mary E. Moning,	110 58
Nathaniel Spooner,	151 45
Georgianna Hedge,	118 20
Elizabeth F. Stoddard,	228 11
Abbie B. Danforth,	103 70
Cornelius Bradford,	107 45
Benjamin Hathaway,	224 38
George W. Haskins,	80 69
Henry Farris Stoddard,	113 09
Obadiah Lyon,	167 55

Madeline Harris,	163 48	
Lydia G. Lothrop,	323 04	
Annie Martin,	228 49	
Sarah W. Sparrow,	107 67	
Charles C. Doten,	259 44	
Sarah J. Ryder,	205 00	
Mary B. Bassett,	102 50	
Colburn C. and Charles R. Wood,	307 50	
Henry W. Tillson,	102 50	
Caroline Grozinger,	50 00	
Joseph P. Thurston,	100 00	
Gustavus G. Sampson,	100 00	
Amelia Knoch,	100 00	
Briggs-Goodwin,	100 00	
James H. Sutcliffe,	100 00	
Evelyn Louise Perry,	100 00	
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Total Plymouth Savings Bank,		\$12,129 78
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Total Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,		\$41,103 93

NATHANIEL MORTON PARK FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$2,000 00
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MURDOCK POOR AND SCHOOL FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$130 00
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CHARLES HOLMES POOR FUND.

Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$500 00
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FRANCIS LEBARON POOR FUND.

Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$675 00	
Plymouth Savings Bank,	675 00	
Total,	<u> </u>	\$1,350 00

JULIA P. ROBINSON POOR FUND.

Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	\$314 17
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WARREN BURIAL HILL CEMETERY FUND.

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$1,000 00	
Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	209 11	
Total,	<u> </u>	\$1,209 11

MARCIA E. JACKSON GATES PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND

Plymouth Savings Bank,	\$1,000 00	
Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	1,000 00	
Total,	<u> </u>	\$2,000 00

STOCK INVESTMENT FUND.

Old Colony National Bank Stock,	\$5,000 00
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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN CLERK

Births, Deaths and Marriages

FOR THE YEAR

1920

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN PLYMOUTH IN 1920.

- Jan. 1. Antone P. Veira and Rose N. Perry, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 1. Frank Allen Davis and Olive Louise Lacey, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 3. Nicholas Monteiro and Claudina Souza, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 4. Henry Raymond and Ethel Elizabeth Smith, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 7. Peter Bibeau of Brockton and Vina Amelia Martin of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 10. Willard Bennett Goddard of Kingston and Mary Elizabeth McMahon of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 12. John H. Cutler and Amelia Martin, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 15. Isaac Po and Mary Volta, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 17. Thornton M. Burns of Plymouth and Reatha Wood of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 17. Louis Gino Giovanetti and Doris Irene Nickerson, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 17. Lawrence Henry Mansfield and Hilda Parkin, both of Plymouth, married in Marblehead.
- Jan. 23. Albert Joseph Perrault of Plymouth and Edith J. Hopkins of Orleans, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 24. Evandro Dallari of Kingston and Otilla Beccari of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 26. Nicholas Weimert of New York and Marion Gertrude Hadaway of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 28. Charles Longbottom and Elgin Patton, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 31. Melvin Alexander Hathaway of Plymouth and Helen Katherine Basler of Kingston, married in Plymouth.

- Jan. 31. Carlton Lovell Bates and Ida Gertrude Chase, both of Plymouth.
- Jan. 31. Gottlieb Ryll and Mary Prior Bonney, both of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- Jan. 31. Peter Guido Sitta of Bridgewater and Leonora Malaguti of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Feb. 1. Antone Lenari of Plymouth and Marion L. Hathaway of Kingston, married in Whitman.
- Feb. 12. Angelo Garuti of Plymouth and Aldena Malaguti of Bridgewater, married in Bridgewater.
- Feb. 16. William George Roy of Plymouth and Eva Diana Chouinard of Fall River, married in Fall River.
- Feb. 21. Richard Robert Hoffman of Plymouth and Mary Hamm of Lowell, married in Lowell.
- Feb. 21. Alton Porter Chandler of Kingston and Bertha May Gunther of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Feb. 28. Charles Adams Purinton and Mary Russell Watson, both of Plymouth.
- March 6. Earl Elroy Morse and Elsie Luella White, both of Plymouth.
- March 6. Marston Bartlett Alexander and Inez Eleanor Ellis, both of Plymouth.
- March 6. Joseph Cecchini and Mary Bruno, both of Manchester, N. H., married in Plymouth.
- March 11. Manuel J. Medara and Virginia Alberghini, both of Plymouth.
- March 13. Thomas Swan and Harriet Bell Johnson, both of Plymouth, married in Lowell.
- March 20. Herbert Lewis Douglas and Aria Adelia Nickerson, both of Plymouth, married in East Braintree.
- March 27. Harry Pearson Sherwood of Kingston and Lucy May Doten of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- March 29. Henry Dassman of New York and Bertha Kierstead of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.

- April 3. Amedeo Louis Pederzani and Mary Chilton Brown, both of Plymouth.
- April 3. Joseph Anthony Medara and Luella Durgin, both of Plymouth, married in Braintree.
- April 9. Gustave Peter Schneider and Mary Florence Sylvia, both of Plymouth.
- April 10. James Talbot O'Neil of Plymouth and Isabelle Ellis Sherman of Whitman, married in Worcester.
- April 13. Edwin W. Sollis and Bessie Bailey, both of Duxbury, married in Plymouth.
- April 14. Warren Edward Dittmar and Minnie Annie Ziegengeist, both of Plymouth.
- April 17. Alphonse A. Turcotte and Freda Mary Martin, both of Plymouth.
- April 17. George Franklin Bumpus and Mary Catherine Pratt, both of Plymouth, married in Whitman.
- April 19. John H. Murray and Elizabeth May Procter, both of Plymouth.
- April 19. Elmer Peter Boutin and Margaret Alice Wallace, both of Plymouth.
- April 19. Willard H. Parsons and Mae A. Burgess, both of Plymouth, married in Fall River.
- April 24. Fred Weichel of Hudson and Nora Agnes Wynne of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- April 24. Antone C. Martin, Jr. and Caroline Almeda, both of Plymouth.
- May 6. Fred Joseph Smith and Rosa Bernier, both of Plymouth.
- May 8. Giacomo Babini of Plymouth and Adele Govoni of Wareham, married in Wareham.
- May 8. Henry A. Voght of Plymouth and Esther H. Ramstrom of Framingham, married in Plymouth.
- May 8. Jacob Peck and Annie Mary Voght, both of Plymouth.

- May 13. Alvaro Bernardo and Maria Jesus Gouveia, both of Plymouth.
- May 15. Fred Loring Churchill of Brockton and Ellen Porter Smith of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- May 21. Abbott Allen Raymond, Jr. and Elsie May Pero, both of Plymouth.
- May 25. Philip Stanley Barnes and Mercie Hatch, both of Plymouth.
- May 29. Ventura Pinto Alves and Adriana Jesus Costodia, both of Plymouth.
- May 29. Julian Evon Houtte and Elodie Jampens, both of Plymouth.
- June 2. Earl C. Wall and Lillian M. Manney, both of Plymouth.
- June 5. John A. Richmond, 2nd. and Nettie Williams Dickerman, both of Plymouth.
- June 5. James Collins of Cleveland, Ohio and Alice Morrison of Plymouth, married in Cleveland.
- June 10. James J. Longhi and Margaret Nordstrom, both of Plymouth.
- June 10. Primo Zucchelli and Louise Gallerani, both of Plymouth.
- June 12. Horace F. Baker of Middleboro and Doris Loretta Braley of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- June 16. John DeCarli and Josephine Maini Casarini, both of Plymouth.
- June 19. William Brenner and Annie Elizabeth Webber, both of Plymouth.
- June 21. Albert Edward Sykes and Annie Robey, both of Plymouth, married in Whitman.
- June 22. William Christopher Oakland and Caroline Gilbert Hadaway, both of Plymouth.
- June 23. George J. Sampson and Mary Brown Hill, both of Plymouth.

- June 24. Albert F. Kierstead and Gladys V. Pierce, both of Plymouth.
- June 24. George M. Silva and Eva Nunes, both of Plymouth.
- June 26. Milton Leland Look of Middleboro and Eva May Sampson of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- June 26. George Matthew Colbauth and Dorothy Monroe Doten, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- June 27. Alfred O. Ziegegeist and Barbara G. Bennett, both of Plymouth, married in Duxbury.
- June 28. Thomas Joseph Metcalf of Plymouth and Nora Joyce of Roxbury, married in Boston.
- June 29. Herbert Lindsey Manchester of Attleboro and Ruth Foster Sampson of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- June 30. Anthony Vitti and Dolores Fortini, both of Plymouth.
- July 3. Lewis Russell Bagnell and Grace Russell Whiting, both of Plymouth.
- July 3. August J. Wirtzburger and Ethel Heppleston, both of Plymouth.
- July 3. Manuel Simoes and Leopoldina Jesus, both of Plymouth.
- July 8. Smith Roane and Mary Louise Milburn, both of Plymouth.
- July 8. Everett A. Raymond and Blanche Thomas, both of Plymouth.
- July 9. Manuel Meranda and Julia Perry, both of Plymouth.
- July 11. Arthur Joseph Prunier of East Braintree and Matilda Lydia Emond of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- July 12. Earl C. Sampson of Plymouth and Claire Louise Hodgdon of Brockton, married in Kingston.
- July 14. Philip C. Chandler and Jennie E. Beckford, both of Plymouth.
- July 14. Aldo Morini and Theresa Gilli, both of Plymouth.
- July 16. Nazzareno Capozucca and Anna Mancinelli, both of Plymouth.

- July 17. Antonio Consolini and Caroline Pederzani, both of Plymouth.
- July 19. Samuel Taubel and Mary Shoman, both of Plymouth.
- July 20. Keith McMahon DeRoux and Eva Dobson, both of Plymouth, married in Sandwich.
- July 21. Leo Cadorette and Jennie Quinchon, both of Plymouth.
- July 21. Griesto Pari and Carman Morisi, both of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- July 24. Antonio Souza, Jr., and Virginia Liandro, both of Plymouth, married in New Bedford.
- July 28. William Edward Bailey and Grace Ethel Smith, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- July 28. Ralph Fredrick Hines and Katherine Ellen Keefe, both of Cohasset, married in Plymouth.
- July 29. Robert Fowler Hunt, Jr., of Providence, R. I. and Helen Dewey Hoxie of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- July 31. Arthur Warren Weston and Elsie May Thornhill, both of Plymouth.
- July 31. Albert Arthur Post and Beatrice Collins Cole, both of Plymouth.
- July 31. Joseph Montali and Giovanna Damiani, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 2. Walter H. Baker of Duxbury and Harriett M. Welcome of Plymouth, married in Duxbury.
- Aug. 4. Alfred Raymond Smith and Dorothy Valentine Peach, both of Marblehead, married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 4. Frank Nastri and Julia Benelli, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 7. Donald Goodchild and Mayna Shaw, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Aug. 7. Joseph Preston Smith and Myrtle Valentine Nightingale, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 7. Antone Diegoli and Eva Colzolari, both of Plymouth.

- Aug. 12. Elmer Warren Hall and Rachel Vangheesdale, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 14. Charles Frank Porter of Somerville and Mary Augusta Howard of Brookline, married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 15. Robert Cavicchi of Whitman and Florence Volta of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 17. Carl Victor Wedell of Boston and Lillian Mae Williamson of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 24. Milton K. Ellis and Hattie Ford Soule, both of Plymouth, married in Duxbury.
- Aug. 28. Paul P. Pederzani and Ida Agnes Balboni, both of Plymouth.
- Aug. 30. Frank Quartz of Plymouth and Lena Beuhler of Brooklyn, N. Y., married in Plymouth.
- Aug. 30. William M. Reynolds of Plymouth and Jennie Shaw of Saxtons River, Vermont, married in Bellows Falls, Vermont.
- Sept. 2. Thomas G. McEwen and Ethel M. Scott, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 4. Dennis Trinqué of Middleboro and Blanche Ellsworth Smith of Plymouth, married in Middleboro.
- Sept. 4. Tony Baptist and Mary Conceicao Motta, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 6. Charles Daniel Lewis and Lucie Evelyn Sears, both of Plymouth, married in Providence, R. I.
- Sept. 7. Richard Baxter Brown and Margaret Townsend Errington, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 9. Arthur Ernest Beever and Ruth Hunting Bradford, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 11. Fred Godfred Rudolph and Madeline Dorothy Thom both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 11. Jose Fernandes and Anna A. Monteiro, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 11. Beti Adamo and Josephine Manfredi, both of Kingston, married in Plymouth.

- Sept. 18. Irving Paris, 2nd. of Webster and Barbara Russell of Boston, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 25. George D. Hathaway of Plymouth and Jennie Basler of Kingston, married in Kingston.
- Sept. 25. Charles I. Wambolt of Middleboro and Lena Webber of Plymouth, married in Middleboro.
- Sept. 25. Vincent Montali and Emma Drudi, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 26. Peleg J. Chandler and Annie W. Lacey, both of Plymouth.
- Sept. 26. William L. Morrison, Jr., of Dorchester and Irene W. Rogers of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Sept. 28. George C. Peterson and Bessie Lee Sears, both of Plymouth, married in Whitman.
- Oct. 1. William Henry Errock of Alton Bay, N. H., and Etta W. Reynolds of Plymouth, married in Rochester, N. H.
- Oct. 2. Magnus W. Amundsen of Plymouth and Jennie Dahlgren of East Boston, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 2. Karl Davis Roberts of Plymouth and Marian Sprague Dawes of Arlington, married in Arlington.
- Oct. 2. William Frederick Hacker of East Bridgewater and Mae Clifford Gurney of Whitman, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 3. Roger Bert Maloon of Plymouth and Lilla Margaret Wentworth of Lynn, married in Lynn.
- Oct. 8. Maxwell Van Buskirk of New York and Helen Probst of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 9. Ralph A. Wall and Mary Helen Van Amburgh, both of Plymouth.
- Oct. 9. Clarence Owen Hale of Plymouth and Orpha White of Belmont, married in Cambridge.
- Oct. 20. Harry J. Haraden and Kathryn Isabel MacKensie, both of Plymouth.
- Oct. 21. George F. Bagnell and Carrie A. Hall, both of Plymouth.

- Oct. 23. George Cretinon of Kingston and Alice Anna Christine Basler of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Oct. 30. Antonio Mederios Vaz of Plymouth and Maria Da-Gueloria Pereira of New Bedford, married in New Bedford.
- Oct. 30. Manuel M. Furtado and Mary Viera, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 1. Aniello Ingenito of Plymouth and Francesco Albera of Italy, married in East Boston.
- Nov. 2. Thomas Ward Bailey of Kingston and Mary Perkins Welch of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Nov. 3. Arthur Joseph Paul of Kingston and Mary Constance Mello of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Nov. 13. Alberto Mario Almeida and Maria Anunciacao Nunes, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 20. Alberto Max Ransden and Mildred Irene Procter, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 21. Alexander John Vecchi and May E. Stevens, both of Plymouth, married in Middleboro.
- Nov. 21. Joseph Solomon Cohen and Sylvia Rubinfen, both of Plymouth, married in Malden.
- Nov. 23. John James Ottino and Margaret Teresa Denehy, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 24. Joseph Richard and Louise O. Jacobs, both of Brockton, married in Plymouth.
- Nov. 24. John Joseph Reagan and Mary Catherine Kaiser, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 25. Herbert Wadsworth of Duxbury and Alma M. Carleton of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Nov. 25. Francesco M. Janeiro and Maria R. Marcella, both of Plymouth.
- Nov. 25. Sebastiano Gallerani of Springfield and Eva Zecchi of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Nov. 27. Fred A. Jenks and Cora E. Harlow, both of Plymouth, married in Pittsfield.

- Nov. 21. Joseph Silva and Rose Monish, both of Plymouth, married in New Bedford.
- Dec. 5. Nando Borsari and Alfonsina Ferri, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 7. Manuel Santos and Louisa Costa, both of Plymouth, married in New Bedford.
- Dec. 8. Clarence Hummon and Emma L. Kinsman, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 11. Raymond Joseph Martin and Katherine Russell Koster, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 11. Augusto Bregoli of Plymouth and Anita Malagodi of Kingston, married in Plymouth.
- Dec. 12. William Russell Wood and Dorothe Mae Nutter, both of Plymouth, married in Kingston.
- Dec. 12. James Barnard Burns of Plymouth and Anna Parks Chandler of Duxbury, married in Whitman.
- Dec. 12. Pasquale Genovese of Taunton and Raphael Ruggerio of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Dec. 14. Willard Ashley Cooper and Gertrude Fuller Hinchcliffe, both of Plymouth, married in Pawtucket, R. I.
- Dec. 18. Antonio Valente and Mary Santos Cabrall, both of Plymouth, married in New Bedford.
- Dec. 18. Edward Carl Daley of Gorham, N. H. and Marie Louise Johnson of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Dec. 18. Charles W. Wyss of Boston and Edna M. Larkin of Plymouth, married in Plymouth.
- Dec. 18. Chester Arthur Baker of Plymouth and Alice Marie Harding of Kingston, married in Kingston.
- Dec. 18. Antone Mazzilli and Mary Bregoli, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 20. William C. Bryant and Bertha E. Nickerson, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 24. Richard James Orchard and Florence Gertrude Hathaway, both of Plymouth.

- Dec. 24. Vernon H. Smith of Plymouth and Elsie J. Kaiser of Brockton, married in Brockton.
- Dec. 25. George Edward Carnes and Alice Dorothy Sampson, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 26. C. Thomas Shaw and Isabel Ellen Norton, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 28. Herbert Walter Hathaway and Irene Stella Vassar, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 28. George Hartley Davis and Hazel May Stuart, both of Plymouth.
- Dec. 29. Clark Ellis and Millicent W. Babcock, both of Plymouth.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN PLYMOUTH IN 1920.

Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Jan. 1	Jane Todd Pike	George E. and Elizabeth Prescott Todd	Vermont	Vermont
2	Anna Clara Josephine Paoli	Joseph and Tecla Mary Muti	Italy	Italy
3	Marguerite Pinto	Antonio A. and Mary Rozario	Portugal	Portugal
4	Pearl Elizabeth Goulart	Anthony P. and Matilda E. Seaver	Gloucester	Plymouth
6	Albert Amaral	Manuel and Elvira Silva	St. Michaels	Brazil
7	Russell Howard Anderson	Albion and Agnes E. Johnson	Sweden	Plymouth
7	Ethel Shwont	Meyer and Rose Berger	Russia	Russia
7	Robert Edmund Goodwin	Roy E. and Maud F. Sears	Nova Scotia	Plymouth
8	Virginia Roberts	Harold G. and Emma Dora Wixon	Plymouth	Rochester
8	John Howard Dupuis	William S. and Annie F. Sullivan	Natick	Plymouth
9	Meriel Estelle Priestley	Edmund J. and Mildred T. Burt	Chicopee	Plymouth
10	Violet Bay Boudrow	Fred F. and Ada Swyers	Gloucester	Newfoundland
10	Gertrude Testoni	August and Gertrude Sassi	Italy	Italy
10	Harold Benjamin Wood	Ralph C. and Eva M. Sturtevant	Vermont	Vermont
11	Edward Jackson Green, Jr.	Edward J. and Mary E. Faunce	Plymouth	Plymouth
12	Dorothy Elaine DeCost	Norman J. and Rose L. Poirier	Nova Scotia	Cambridge
13	Joseph Lawrence Sears	Joseph and Minnie Lawrence	Azores	Taunton
13	Josephine Scalabrini	Antonio and Pasqualina Montali	Italy	Italy
14	Roy James Welber	Walter W. and Fannie W. Craig	Plymouth	Ireland
15	Miriam Esther Klasky	Hyman J. and Gertrude B. Shriber	Russia	Russia
15	Aramando Balboa	Joe Antonio and Annie Fernandes	Portugal	Portugal
17	Peter Alves	Peter and Maria Correa	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
18	John Souza	Alves and Mary Falciano	St. Michaels	St. Michaels
19	Beatrice Miller	Warren E. and Emily Roy	South Boston	North Adams
20	James John Kaiser	Daniel J. and Mary T. Krist	Plymouth	Germany
20	Jesse Anthony Kaiser	Daniel J. and Mary T. Krist	Plymouth	Germany
20	Josephine Silva	Manuel and Mary Enos	Azores	Azores
21	Ralph Jordan Sherman	Everett and Lottie E. Wade	Plymouth	Boston
23	Bertrand Carr French	Bertrand C. and Hazel E. Wade	Sandwich	Connecticut
24	— Hall	Orville C. and Ethel Peterson	Maine	Italy
24	Raffaello Ernesto Montanari	Arturo and Alfonsina Alberti	Italy	Maine
24	Bernard Elmer Pettit	Arthur J. and Jennie M. Martin	Plymouth	Azores
27	— Ranose	Manuel and Capitalina Estrella	Plymouth	Plymouth
28	Weldon Wood	Clinton L. and Margaret McDonald	Azores	Azores
28	Joe Vincent	Joe and Seraphina Frils	Azores	Azores
29	Dorothy Correa	Antone and Julia Carvalho	Boston	Germany
30	Eva Cecelia Ruprecht	Joseph and Anna Seaver	Boston	Germany
31	William Briggs Rudolph	Frederick F. and Rose B. Briggs	Plymouth	Ancashury

BIRTHS—Continued

Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Feb.				
1	Dorothy Jane Sears	Herbert E. and Gertrude V. Randall	Plymouth	Pawtucket, R. I.
1	Maddeline Mary Cavicchi	Andrew and Mary A. Gonsalves	Cape Verde Is.	Cape Verde, Is.
2	Alfred Teixeira	Henry and Clara Leonard	Plymouth	Italy
2	Ruth Davouport	Joseph and Guilhermina Quintal	Portugal	Portugal
3	Illegitimate	Fletcher E. and Annie M. DeCost	Rockland	Provincetown
4	Constance Souza	Jose and Johanna Mello	Azores	Azores
5	Robert Emil Brinheim	Fred C. and Maud M. Blaisdell	Germany	Vermont
7	Cecilia Pinto DeSouza	Antonio Pinto and Maria Encarnaco	Portugal	Portugal
8	Deodada Gonsalves Branco	Joseph Gonsalves and Silveria Moura	Portugal	Portugal
10	Gilbert Harrison Robbins	H. Lester and Elizabeth Schneider	Plymouth	Plymouth
12	Henry Lincoln Peery	Henry L. and Dorothy Hawes	Maine	Boston
15	Arthur John Portier	Arthur S. and Theresa M. Carpenter	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
16	Charles Richmond Lowe	Harry P. and Alice M. Knight	New Bedford	Plymouth
17	Frances Mary Paddy	Leon A. and Mary M. Bignell	Brockton	Plymouth
18	Beatrice Anthony	Mamuel and Frances Pimental	Azores	Azores
20	Florence Mary Guerre	Alfonse and Virginia Casonelli	Italy	Italy
21	Marjory Mayna Fox	George T. and Anna Raymond	Plymouth	Plymouth
21	Antoinette Rossetti	Dominick and Lisandra Minocella	Italy	Italy
22	Maria Jose Mello	Mamuel Jose and Beatrice Jesus Janela	Portugal	Portugal
24	Ruth Mayo	W. Irving and Esther M. Vance	Watertown	Norwood
26	Elsie Pessini	Joe and Mary Meloni	Italy	Italy
27	Laura Jennie Villano	Michele and Florence Chiaravalle	Italy	Connecticut
27	John McLaughlin Callahan	Daniel P. and Mary A. McLaughlin	Plymouth	Plymouth
28	Stillborn			
29	Illegitimate			
Mar.				
1	Frances Arlene Robichau	Edward E. and Barbara F. Beaton	Plymouth	Woonsocket, R. I.
2	Rosa Lopes	Mamuel and Emily Viegas	Portugal	Portugal
3	Robert Crawford Borsari	Colombo and Margaret V. Johnson	Wardana	Scotland
4	Louise Ellis Spooner	Harold S. and Bertha L. Ellis	Fairhaven	Plymouth
5	John Andrew Barsch	John M. and Mary K. Siever	Germany	Plymouth
6	William Amedeo Tedeschi	Amedeo and Adelaide Guidoboni	Italy	Italy
6	Elva Tucker Mulcahy	Frank H. and Edna A. Tucker	Providence, R. I.	Holbrook
6	Dorothy Jesse	Frank and Frances N. Silva	Portugal	Portugal
7	Augusta Tuvonnelli	Adolph and Angelina Borghesani	Italy	Italy
8	Nathalie Lynda Noyes	Arthur W. and Helen A. Gould	Plymouth	Plymouth
8	Emestine Louise Douglass	Emest C. and Truettis DeLoria	England	Chicago, Ill.
8	John Costa	Antone and Maria DosAnjos	Brazil	Azores

Mar.	39	Adelaide Caldeira	John and Emily Afonso	Portugal	Portugal
	9	Samuel Leon Kaiser	Joseph and Emice Smith	Boston	Philadelphia, Pa.
	9	Lester Alberghini	Lester and Mary Scagliarini	Italy	Italy
	30	Emerson Gordon Durecombe	William H. and Ella A. Schafer	England	Holyoke
	10	Russell Benjamin Cochrane	Lejannin R. and Matilda Bergeron	Antirion, N. H.	Canada
	10	William Galliani	Leuis and Mary Veignani	Italy	Italy
	11	William Francis Goodwin	William F. and Katharine A. Clough	Hinsdale	Plymouth
	12	Bruno Pasolini	Vittorio and Lucia Bertossi	Italy	Italy
	15	Mario Regini	Louis and Maria Nai	Texas	Italy
	15	Leroy Hildray Harris	Clarence T. and Florence E. Stringer	Indiana	Ireland
	15	Leroy Thomas Stimpson	Angelo and Carolina Gallerani	Plymouth	Carver
	16	Bruno Tassinari		Italy	
	20	Stillborn			
	21	William Joseph Bluff	Martin F. and Annie M. Toomey	Maynard	Boston
	23	Stanley Arthur Addyman	Arthur and Avice L. Kingsman	England	Plymouth
	27	Antone Jesse	Antone and Rose Almida	Azores	Azores
	28	Ruth Ella Butts	Frank E. and Jerusha H. Doten	Michigan	Plymouth
	28	Stillborn			
	29	Agnes Thomas	Fred and Mary Diaz	Azores	Azores
	30	Angelina Caterina Fugazzi	Frank and Carmelina Biggi	Italy	Italy
	31	Ruth Augusta Wood	Chilton C. and Esther A. Durbank	Plymouth	Carver
	31	Marjorie Lolita Tracy	Oscar H. and Johnena W. MacAuley	Vermont	Cape Breton
April	2	Mary Mahler	Lawrence P. and Mary J. Catillon	Plymouth	Ireland
	4	Esther Correia	Maniel and Mary Pacheco	Azores	Azores
	5	Alice Catherine Riley	Michael and Helen Fetherston	Ireland	Ireland
	10	Jessie Evelyn Hollis	William and Mary Caddell	Bangor, Me.	Ireland
	11	____ Randall	Charles E. and Rose A. Higgins	Duxbury	Duxbury
	11	Fred Wanton Wadsworth	Fred W. and Eva M. Publicover	Charlestown	Nova Scotia
	15	Alma Francis Schreiber	Leopold J. and Mary Smith	New Jersey	Ireland
	15	Orazio Genovese	Antonio and Pasqualina Ruggiero	Italy	Italy
	16	Margery Frances Cassidy	James and Hannah A. Lucy	Ireland	Ireland
	17	____ Moura	Sylvester and Maria Ferreira	Plymouth	Portugal
	19	Corina Amelia Teixeira	Julio and Antonia Gaspar	Portugal	Portugal
	19	Stillborn			
	30	Dorothy May Gould	Horace C. and Alice N. Molloy	Plymouth	Plymouth
May	1	Arnold Francis Burnham	Henry E. and Harriet A. Tucker	New York	Ratland
	2	Americk Santos Moreira	Alfred A. and Piedade Almida	Portugal	Portugal
	6	Mary Iolanda Chigolani	Paul and Louise Cappanari	Italy	Italy
	7	Barbara Bowie Anderson	George V. and Elizabeth Bowie	Milton	Maine
	8	Michele Bartolomeo Prigida	Vincenzo and Carmela Veloce	Italy	Italy
	8	Evon May Lee	William B. and Florence L. French	South Bellingham	East Blackstone

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Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
May	9 Priscilla Grace Rushton	Howard L. and Grace C. Clemons	Maine	Northboro
12 George Joseph Reynolds	George A. and Gertrude L. Mayers	Attleboro	Plymouth	Plymouth
14 Almeda Oliveira	Lauritina and Rose Botelho	Portugal	Portugal	Portugal
15 Charlotte Ann Schneider	Nicholas and Katharine O. Doyle	Plymouth	Plymouth	Pittsfield
16 Ralph Dias Monteiro	Matthew Dias and Regina Forcier	Cape Verde Is.	Canada	Canada
17 Peter Brigida	Antonio and Libera Mastriano	Italy	Italy	Italy
19 Robert Samuel Resnick	Benjamin R. and Ruth Romano	Plymouth	Plymouth	Boston
24 Dominick Fratus	Dominick and Scraphina Silva	Portugal	Portugal	Azores
24 Earl Albert Young	Albert R. and Nellie H. Watson	Lynn	Scotland	Scotland
26 Jeanette Mary	Robert and Ida L. Lacey	Wellfleet	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
27 Helen Zupitoli	James H. and Mary T. Raymond	Providence, R. I.	Plymouth	Plymouth
27 Joseph Elsworth Pierce	Pasquale and Adalvisa Richi	Italy	Italy	Italy
27 Warren Gilbert Peck	John E. and Martha F. Burgess	Carver	Plymouth	Plymouth
28 Emily Harlow	Jay O. and Florence Brooks	Plymouth	Azores	Azores
28 Lillian Beatrice Paul	George A. and Georgie E. Nelson	Plymouth	England	England
28 Lula Ruth Holmes	Herman F. and Anna F. Dean	Fall River	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
31 ———— Cazal	John and Leopoldina Batetha	Plymouth	Newark, N. J.	Newark, N. J.
31 Edward Joseph Resnick	Morris D. and Lillie Taymor	Portugal	Azores	Azores
June	1 Ruth Llewellyn Bumpus	Albert A. and Alice H. Nordstrom	Plymouth	Plymouth
1 Albert Fred Gilli	Fred R. and Elizabeth Philippini	Italy	Italy	Italy
4 Nicholas Ruggiero	James and Angela Deltua	Italy	Italy	Italy
6 Marion Pratt	Dorestes Morton and Eleanor C. Saunders	Plymouth	Plymouth	Plymouth
6 Alfred Nai	Mannel and Candida Sompainha	Portugal	Portugal	Portugal
12 Mimoso Monteiro	Manuel and Felsidad Madarera	Portugal	Portugal	Portugal
17 John Goddard	Willard B. and Mary E. McMahon	Plymouth	Plymouth	Plymouth
18 John Russell Kellen	Roger S. and Margaret Russell	Boston	Boston	Boston
18 Carl Burke Humphrey	Carl P. and Leonora M. Burke	Fitchburg	Plymouth	Plymouth
25 Paul Robicheau Goyetich	Henry V. and Margaret T. Robicheau	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
27 Elizabeth Alice Studley	Edwin A., Jr., and Annie V. Hokanson	North Harwich	Plymouth	Plymouth
29 Clifford Perkins Hudon	Rene J. and Grace M. Sturtevant	Fall River	Fall River	E. Bridgewater
30 Stillborn				

July	1 Susan Hedge	William R. and Alice P. Nowell	Plymouth	New Bedford
	2 Martin Story Hunting	Martin J. and Florence Story	Plymouth	Essex
	3 Donatilde Souza Batata	Manuel Souza and Virginia R. Carrosa	Azores	Azores
	4 Harold Padovani	Albert and Teresa Lugli	Italy	Italy
	5 Bernard Albert Otto	Albert B. and Melissa E. Mahler	Hartford, Conn.	Boston
	6 William H. Tately, Jr.	William H. and Alice M. Anderson	Walpole	Brockton
	7 Luiga Romano	Lawrence and Rosie Vella	Italy	Italy
	8 Angelo Provinzano	Paolo and Colagera Cupani	Italy	Italy
	9 Clifford Hebert	George and Exzelia Valliere	Italy	Italy
	10 Arthur Cabral	Marion and Josephine Ferreira	Italy	Italy
	11 Elizabeth DiGenova	Frank and Lucia Ruggiero	Italy	Italy
	12 Burton Edward Griswold	Charles L. and Cecile M. Blaisdell	Italy	Italy
	13 Robert Cronin	William N. and Mary E. Reardon	Italy	Italy
	14 John Ford	John and Marion S. Strange	Italy	Italy
	15 Anna Madlen Brenner	August and Mary A. Basler	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
	16 George Henry Mansfield	Lawrence F. and Hilda Parkin	Somerville	Boston
	17 Russell Louis Cronwell	Louis H. and Lucille D. Kersey	Marshfield	Stonham
	18 Geraldine Beatrice Lenari	Antone and Marion L. Hathaway	Germany	Plymouth
	19 Howard Lofthrop Francis Smith	Lothrop T. and Marguerite M. Stephan	Boston	England
	20 Dorothy Anna Ziegengels	Paul H. and Anna L. Mentzel	Plymouth	Brockton
	21 Lyman Warren Briggs	Lyman W. and Margaret Anderson	Brazil	Plymouth
	22 Margery Drew	Irving C. and Florence P. Brown	Taunton	Plymouth
	23 Edith Laura Adams	Warren L. and Lily Tong	Plymouth	Whitman
	24 Henry Bastoni	Henry and Ida Montinari	Kingston	Plymouth
	25 Camilla Rowena Bearce	Edward Stuart and Ethel Camilla Bryart	Italy	England
	26 Arthur Solteri	Arthur and Adele Tangerini	Italy	Italy
	27 Faelton Crowmishield Perkins	Faelton C. and Dorothy Ferguson	Italy	Italy
	28 Antonio Carbone	Frank and Nicola Pallano	Italy	Italy
Aug.	1 Barbara Paty	George L. and Theresa M. Wasson	Plymouth	Plymouth
	2 Shaw	Joseph H. and Myrtis L. Hall	Taunton	Taunton
	3 Neta Oliver	Andrew and Savini Solari	Italy	Italy
	4 Barbara McLean Armstrong	John and Florence McLean	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
	5 Elsie Myrtle Mullaney	Edward J. and Emma A. Westgate	Plymouth	Plymouth
	6 Joseph Eufrazia	Manuel and Louise Cabral	New Brunswick	New Brunswick
	7 Esther Pauline Johnson	George V. and Lydia J. Morris	Portugal	Portugal
	8 Roland Washburn Holmes	Roland T. and Mary E. Washburn	Carver	Middleboro
	9 Helen Rosalie Darsch	Alfred and Clara Herget	Kingston	Hancock, N. H.
	10 Stillborn		Plymouth	Germany
	11 Mary Foster Weeks	Warren C. and Elizabeth H. Burbank	Plymouth	Plymouth
	12 George Wallace Harding	William W. and Florence M. Parker	Brockton	Dorchester
	13 Constance Gault	John and Mary G. Nolan	Ireland	Ireland
	14 Stillborn			

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Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Aug.	15 Ellen Hamilton Pierce	Charles I. and Florence B. Peterson	Plymouth	Plymouth
	15 Earl Clayton Crane	John H. and Ethel W. Davis	Connecticut	Connecticut
	15 Russell Elwyn Cook	Charles M. and Mabel M. Martin	Wareham	Lebanon, N. H.
	16 Harold Everett Charles	Edward and Emma Zecchi	Italy	Italy
	16 Winthrop Allen Murphy	William J. and Muriel W. Chandler	Scituate	Duxbury
	17 Nelson Merritt Ferrell	Sydney R. and Annie M. Smith	New York	New Hampshire
	18 Lucille Eleanor Colleton	Frank J. and Teresa K. Leary	Pascoag, R. I.	Maine
	18 John DeFelice	Michele and Rosie Montanari	Italy	Italy
	19 Rita Frances Stimpson	Isaac A. and Mary E. Keete	Nova Scotia	Newfoundland
	19 Amy Marthine Pascoe	John and Amy M. Reynolds	England	England
	20 Arthur Henriques Reis	Munel H. and Mary Cadose	Portugal	Provincetown
	22 Bradford True Legg	Howard F. and Nellie B. VanOstrand	Rhode Island	New York
	23 Esther Lenzi	Antonio and Mary Bergamini	Italy	Italy
	24 David Broadbent	Wilfrid O. and Alice S. Cole	Philadelphia, Pa.	South Wellfleet
	24 Annie Vieira	Joe and Nicolina Rezendes	Portugal	Portugal
	25 Antonio Ruggiero	Vincenzo and Lucia Ditrani	Italy	Italy
	25 Elizabeth Evelyn Watson	John J. and Jennie Magee	Scotland	Ireland
	26 Carol Margaret Johnson	Morris I. and Mary L. Kane	Ivannis	Texas
	27 Doels Johnston Littlefield	Harold F. and Sarah A. Johnston	E. Bridgewater	Scotland
	31 Elizabeth Seaverns Baker	Stanley F. and Ruth H. Seaverns	Marshfield	Lexington
Sept.	1 Henry Francis Raymond	Henry and Ethel E. Smith	Plymouth	Boston
	3 Gerald Rezendes	Munuel and Laurentina Mathias	Azores	Azores
	4 Bruno Govoni	Gaetano and Annie Brelti	Italy	Italy
	5 Ruth Butler Jenkins	Gordon H. and Beatrice M. Butler	P. E. Island	Kingsston
	5 Oelia Sousa	Munuel and Mary Sousa	Azores	Azores
	9 Jeannette Nixon	James H. and Edith M. Dorr	Ireland	Sandwich, N. H.
	10 Rosa Jesse	Augusto and Catherine Minelli	Italy	Italy
	11 Almerinda Santos	Munuel and Mary Rezendes	Azores	Azores
	11 Frederick W. Peck	Joseph and Mary Vicente	Portugal	Portugal
	12 Florence Cannuel	John P. and Louise Quartz	Germany	Bedham
	13 Barbara Norton Mott	Ernest and Edith Cavicelli	Italy	Plymouth
	13 Alton Rogers Gibbs	Arthur J. and Mary L. Norton	Attleboro, Vt.	New Bedford
	15 Janet Broadbent	Edwin A. and Bessie M. Rogers	Sandwich	Plymouth
	16 Edith Shwon	Edgar N. and Mary Cassidy	Wales	Russia
	18 Virginia Betty Facini	Elbis and Stella Sten	Russia	Italy
	19 Frank Santos	Omelio and Ruth L. Smith	Italy	Boston
		Munuel and Mary Santos	Azores	Azores

Sept. 19 Ellen Clifton Shaw
20 Giovanni Tavernelli
21 Willard Clayton Medara
22 Thelma Mae White
23 Francis James Scheid
24 Alfred Clifford Paul
26 Irene Wager
27 Elston Kittridge Bartlett
27 Virginia Mae Knight
28 Eleanor Inez Alexander
29 Francis Warren Kitzmacher
29 Manuel Santos
30 Mary Sampson
30 Irene Pacheco Soares

Oct.

2 Iolandi Creati
4 Ruth Bartlett
4 Victor Louis Gallo
5 Pauline Hathaway
5 Francisco Nachimento
5 Stillborn
6 Olive Priscilla Rock
8 Stillborn
10 Guy Otis Chandler
14 Aruindo Marques
16 Dorothy May Sherwood
17 Idegarde Vilna Guidetti
21 Joseph Anthony Veira
21 Stanley Francis Hertel
23 Renato Paul Pedrini
25 Barbara Augusta Baker
25 Edwin Nelson Sears
25 Enis Breviglieri
26 John Charles Mobbs
26 Sylviana Cabral
28 Spencer Hatch Brewster

Clifton P. and Mary A. MacDonald
Sebastian and Elede Zaniboni
Mannuel and Virginia Alberghini
Warren F. and Sarah R. Griswold
John J. and Rose E. Bergdoll
Peter A. and Katherine M. McLaughlin
Frank and Mary Rogers
Elston K. and Marion W. Tower
James T. and Ella L. L. Valley
Marston B. and Inez E. Ellis
Jacob A. and Teresa M. White
Caetano and Etelvina S. Calouo
George H. and Mary T. Clark
Antone P. and Maria Ventura

Plymouth
Italy
Plymouth
Taunton
Plymouth
France
Newton
Azores
Coliasset
Plymouth
Bridgewater
Plymouth
Azores
Springfield
St. Michaels

Luigi and Flavietta Inolito
Amasa H. and Mazie I. Stewart
Victor and Teresa Schiavetta
Melvin A. and Helen Basler
Manuel C. and Marcia Gomes
Arthur and Clara Paul

Italy
Plymouth
Italy
Bourne
Portugal
Canada

Guy Otis and Isabel C. Peterson
Frank and Virginia Taves
Harry P. and Lucy M. Doten
Robert and Louisa Ardizzone
Antone P. and Rose Nunes
Arthur S. and Lettie E. Sturtevant
Eleredo and Teresa Bongiovanni
Horace F. and Doris L. Bailey
Walter R. and Ruth C. Leeman
Ernest and Chisira Sundri
John and Sarah C. Hurden
John and Antonia Almeida
Ellis W. and Ellen Hatch

Duxbury
Portugal
New Brunswick
Italy
Azores
Plymouth
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Springfield
Plymouth
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England
St. Michaels
Plymouth

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Date	Name	Name of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Nov.	1 Barbara May Mathewson	J. Warner and Grace M. DeCost	Attleboro	Provincetown
5	— Stewart	Robert H. and Catherine I. Ryder	Illinois	Duxbury
6	Diolinda Aujos Lopes	Arturo A. and Maria A. Ventura	Portugal	Portugal
8	George Alvah Davis	Frank A. and Olive A. Lacey	Laluc, Maine	Plymouth
10	Stillborn			
14	Margaret Mary Boutin	Elmer P. and Margaret A. Wallace	Plymouth	Plymouth
15	Ella Rose Peck	Jacob and Annie M. Vogit	Plymouth	Plymouth
17	Betty Shepherd Drew	Ralph L. and Marion T. Shepherd	Brockton	Pembroke
18	Miriam Elizabeth Young	Edwin B. and Elizabeth E. Hartley	Roxbury	Granville
19	Isabel Carmen Cravinho	Joseph G. and Mary J. Travassos	Portugal	St. Michaels
19	George Allen Wall	Ralph A. and Mary H. VanAmburgh	Plymouth	Stafford Springs, Ct.
20	Richard Schneider	Gustave and Mary Silva	Plymouth	Plymouth
21	Wendall Holmes	Solomon M. and Hattie M. Morse	Plymouth	Plymouth
21	Franklin Kay Bumpus	George F. and Mary C. Walsh	Wareham	Roxbury
21	Samuel Allan Jones	Samuel A. and Elizabeth Scheid	Webster City, Mo.	Plymouth
25	Elsie Mary Wambolt	Charles and Lena Welber	New Brunswick	Plymouth
27	George Tilson Pratt	George T. and Irene M. Chandler	Kingston	Kingston
30	Edward Cadose	Mannuel R. and Antonette Gaspar	Azores	Azores
Dec.	4 Ines Bastoni	Joseph and Adele Gallasi	Italy	Italy
8	James John Donahue	Harry M. and Alice Seaver	Stafford, Conn.	Plymouth
9	Edna Winnifred Daly	William J. and Grace G. Baker	Chelsea	Plymouth
10	Janet Elizabeth Perrault	Antonio and Mabelle L. Hughes	Plymouth	Carver
14	Graziela Ferreira	Joaquin and Eugracia Alves	Portugal	Portugal
15	— Finney	Edward P. and Celia E. Seaver	Plymouth	Kingston
16	Helen Mae Swift	Maynard B. and Ethel O. Wood	Plymouth	Fitchburg
16	— Po	Isaac and Mary Volta	Italy	Dedham
19	Lawrence Arthur Hall	Edward F. and Daisy Spencer	Plymouth	England
19	Warren Jackson Ward	Fred F. and Maud Stone	Georgia	Florida
20	Mary Elizabeth Burgess	Irvin C. and Marion B. Weston	Wareham	Hyde Park
22	Marquerite Phyllis Gimhold	Frederick A. and Mildred Nordstrom	Plymouth	Plymouth
30	Donald Lewis Gowni	Louis and Ida Garuti	Plymouth	Italy
31	Dorothy Alberta Wrightington	Soton F. and Grace A. Raymond	Carver	Plymouth

DEATHS REGISTERED IN PLYMOUTH IN 1920.

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Name of Parents
		Y	M		
Jan.	4 William Potter (died in Kingston)	87	--	Arterio sclerosis,	John B. Wilson and Mary Rogers
	7 John B. Wilson (died in Brockton)	70	2	Acute lobar pneumonia,	John Davee and Phoebe Finney
	12 Harriet E. May (died in Taunton)	90	2	Arterio sclerosis,	August Testoni and Gertrude Sassi
	12 Gertrude Testoni,	53	1	Premature birth,	Thomas Broadbent and Margaret Broadbent
	13 Charles H. Broadbent,	67	8	Chronic bronchitis,	Jabez M. Camp and Mary H Eaton
	14 Mary Frances Betcher,	86	8	Organic valvular heart disease,	Branch Blackmer and Phoebe P. Bartlett
	18 Branch Elliot, Blackmer,	50	7	Arterio sclerosis. Old age,	Charles Morris and Sarah Whatley
	18 Alice Guy,	75	11	Lobar pneumonia,	Seabury Raymond and Mercie M. McLaughlin
	19 Phoebe R. Clifford,	26	1	Cancer of the rectum,	Manuel Pimental and Mary Rezendes
	21 Joseph L. Pimental,	1	4	Mitral stenosis of heart,	Charles Alexander and Ida Plumb
	24 Susan E. Gilman,	26	7	Cancer of the Uterus,	Jesse O. Thomas and Marie Carcio
	25 Jesse Thomas,	--	4	Convulsions from improper feeding,	Frank Perry and Mary Madeiros
	27 Arthur Perry,	2	9	Lobar pneumonia,	Manuel Raposee and Catherine Estrella
	27 -- Raposee,	2	hours	Premature birth,	Granville Griffin and Rebecca Holmes
	27 Benjamin H. Griffin,	84	5	Lobar pneumonia,	Peter VanCor and Abigail Charles
	28 Marietta Barrows,	75	--	Lobar pneumonia,	Joe Vincent and Seraphino Frilo
	28 Joe Vincent,	30	min.	Prolonged hard labor,	James Elder and Mary T. Hodgdon
	28 Walter Alphonso Elder,	63	7	Lobar pneumonia,	Redomisto Malavasi and Jennie Dallari
	30 Edna Malavasi,	5	11	Lobar pneumonia,	William Dobbrow and Mary Hostien
	31 Frederick Dobbrow (died in Taunton)	87	--	Arterio sclerosis,	
Feb.	2 Jessie M. MacKinnon (died in Medford)	28	3	Lobar pneumonia,	Lyman MacKinnon and Jane Greenwood
	3 Joseph Quintal,	1	2	Broncho pneumonia,	John Quintal and Mary Coresal
	6 Elizabeth Alberghini,	57	4	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Joseph Roncorati and Bland
	7 Francis T. Morton (died in Wellesley)	79	9	Cerebral hemorrhage,	
	12 Christian Washburn,	81	--	Broncho pneumonia,	Edwin Morton and Betsey Torrey Harlow
	14 Ellen McGovern,	55	1	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Nathan Washburn and Christiana Pratt
	15 Lawrence Corrow,	38	--	Lobar pneumonia,	James Hasney and Margaret Collins
	16 Thomas S. Ellis,	75	1	Organic heart disease,	Joseph Corrow and Louise Jerrier
	16 Arthur Ernestine Lewis (died in Nova Scotia)	75	1	Organic heart disease,	Leander D. Ellis and Jane Martin
	17 Harold W. Glass (died in Duxbury)	62	4	Cancer of stomach,	Martin J. Lewis and Elizabeth H. Brown
	17 Louisa F. Sears,	33	3	Broncho pneumonia,	Eugene Glass and Elizabeth Flemming
		88	1	Infirmities of old age,	Thomas B. Sears and Louisa Churchill

DEATHS—Continued.

Date	Name	Age		D	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
		Y	M			
Feb.	19 Charles Richmond Lowe,	—	—	3	Prenature birth,	Harry P. Lowe and Alice M. Knight
	20 Constance Souza,	—	—	16	Acute milk infection,	Joseph Souza and Jennie Mallo
	20 Abnira Daniels Dickson,	77	7	3	Myocarditis. Broncho pneumonia,	Josiah Pratt and Mary Ferguson
	20 Ida Fantoni,	13	7	—	Pulmonary thrombosis,	Desiderio Fantoni and Alvasi Florinci
	22 Dorothy Govoni,	1	6	17	Broncho pneumonia,	Louis Govoni and Ida Gorodi
	22 Annie Williams,	60	2	9	Acute indigestion,	Charles G. Becking and ———
	23 Frank Fredi,	1	5	14	Broncho pneumonia,	August Fredi and Ritta Banta
	23 Arthur John Poirier,	—	—	10	Solus bifida,	Arthur S. Poirier and Teresa Carpentier
	28 ——— and ———	—	—	—	Stillborn,	——— and ———
	27 Blanch Alberghini (died in Kingston)	60	—	26	Chronic rheumatoid,	Louis Balboni and Matilda Tassinari.
Mar.	1 Annie G. Thomas,	38	1	9	Serotic absorption,	Elwin N. Stranger and Julia Bowler
	2 Sarah T. Swift,	73	8	13	Mitral regurgitation,	Horatio Leonard and Sarah Sampson
	3 Harry L. Kerrigan (died in Brockton)	—	—	9	Diphtheria,	William J. Kerrigan and Annie I. Kollifer
	4 Jabez J. Howard,	81	10	18	Dilated heart. Valvular lesions,	Matthew Howard and Deborah Jenney
	4 Mary A. Callahan,	39	2	4	Broncho pneumonia,	William H. McLaughlin and Dora Kingsley
	4 Sarah Jane Mooney (died in Lynn)	81	3	25	Intestinal obstruction,	William Tyford and Abigail Douglas
	5 Harold K. Emerson,	43	—	17	Arterial sclerosis,	Charles E. Emerson and Ada Doherty
	5 David Rappaport,	3	8	18	Double pneumonia,	Barnet Rappaport and Annie Oliver
	5 Joseph Santos,	73	2	25	Broncho pneumonia,	Joseph Santos and Antonia Cordiera
	6 John Higgins,	—	—	—	Angina pectoris,	John Higgins and ———
	9 Gilli Souza,	14	—	—	Cerebro spinal meningitis,	Antonic Souza and Antonia Souza
	9 Bernice N. Fozarty,	—	—	18	Marasmus,	John J. Fozarty and Ethel Northup
	10 Elizabeth Geller,	76	8	24	Broncho pneumonia. Old age,	Nicholas Berckhart and ———
	11 Ernestine C. Schroeder,	70	9	16	Cancer of uterus and appendages,	Philip Wellenberg and Elizabeth Hess
	11 Diamantina Rego,	—	4	21	Convulsions. Marasmus,	Amibaldo Rego and Virginia Gomes
	15 Palmda Cabral,	1	2	2	Broncho pneumonia. Malnutrition,	Joseph Cabral and Almerindo Souza
	17 Rosie Lopes Leal,	—	—	15	Broncho pneumonia,	Mamuel L. Leal and Amelia Viegas
	19 Edward H. Vaughan (died in Maine)	85	5	6	Hypostatic pneumonia,	Elisha Vaughan and Annie Wright
	20 Mary E. Perry,	74	6	7	Heart weakness,	——— and ———
	20 ——— and ———	—	—	—	Stillborn,	Gaetano Christi and ———
	21 Suspidia Lodi	74	8	26	Carcinoma of mouth,	Ruel Wade and ———
	22 Henry W. Wade,	81	10	22	Influenza,	French

Mar.	24	Mindora R. Read,	63	4	23	Pulmonary congestion,	Horace Slade and Clarissa Chase
	25	Elphaleet Holbrook,	91	5	6	Organic valvular disease of heart,	Gideon Holbrook and Nancy Ellis
	28	—	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and —
	29	Bruno Tassinari,	—	—	13	Broncho pneumonia,	Angelo Tassinari and Caroline Gallerani
	30	Antone Jesse,	—	—	3	Atelectasis,	Antone Jesse and Rose Almada
April	1	Barbara Louise Clark,	—	10	12	Tubercular meningitis,	William N. Clark and Mabel Guy
	5	Thaddeus E. Brown,	47	6	17	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Henry H. Brown and Sarah Noka
	6	Adeline White,	72	8	—	Diabetic gangrene,	Joseph Gerrior and Minnie Boudrot
	7	Augusto Raggazini,	98	—	2	Triepidid regurgitation,	Bonaventura Raggazini and Clementina Fornieja
	7	William S. Robbins,	77	—	2	Myocarditis. Pulmonary oedema,	Thomas S. Robbins and Eleanor T. Andrews
	8	Adoniram J. Raymond,	80	7	2	Valvular heart disease,	Adoniram Raymond and Betsey —
	9	John A. Skakle (died in Kingston)	59	6	6	Apoplexia,	Alexander W. Skakle and Jane Anderson
	9	Elizabeth F. Morton,	85	4	14	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Leavitt T. Robbins and Lydia Fuller
	10	Jesse T. Bassett,	81	6	17	Uremic poisoning,	Thomas Bassett and Abby Chase
	13	Rose Anna Randall,	24	—	17	Lobar pneumonia,	Richard Higgins and Katherine Lavin
	13	William L. Poole (died in Everett)	80	—	—	Arterio sclerosis,	— and Ruth Lewis
	13	Hilda Santos,	—	6	24	Broncho pneumonia,	Manuel Santos and Mary Mello
	13	— Randall,	—	—	2	Premature birth,	Charles Randall and Rose A. Higgins
	15	Louise Rapatoni,	3	1	23	Broncho pneumonia,	Alfonso Rapatoni and Bertha Sobri
	17	Johanna Stewart,	73	1	3	Bronchitis. Weak heart,	William McGuire and Johanna Halpin
	17	Olivia Pimental,	—	9	14	Convulsions from teethings,	Joseph Pimental and Claudia Medeiros
	19	—	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and —
	20	— Texiera,	—	16	hours	Premature birth,	Julius Texiera and Antonia Gaspar
	20	Paty Russo,	25	1	5	Accidental drowning,	Frank Russo and Chiara Sanducesso
	23	Elizabeth Jenkins,	83	4	11	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Hananiah Whitney and — Benis
	26	Dimminka Pina,	—	53	4	Broncho pneumonia,	Frank Pina and Mary Nunes
	29	Mary Ellen Wood,	—	53	4	Suicide by hanging,	Martin Farrell and Margaret Brennan
	30	Kenneth F. Morgan,	30	1	8	Electrocuted. Accident,	Joseph F. Morgan and Helen R. Coombs
May	1	Helen Maria Burgess (died in Middleboro)	66	—	3	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Anthony Riekardser and Jane Vincent
	3	Robert J. Ingalls,	—	8	25	Broncho pneumonia,	Robert A. H. Ingalls and Jessie Cunningham
	5	Angenette Chase,	78	3	4	Arterio Sclerosis. Bronchitis,	Ebraim Frost and Caroline Cutter
	6	Joe Verdadero,	—	9	11	Lobar pneumonia. Morasmus,	John Verdadero and Jessie Comprea
	8	Sarah Howland Manter,	85	10	10	Chronic inflammation of gall bladder,	Isiah Rogers and Elizabeth Williams
	9	Nicholas Ruprecht,	64	—	5	Abdominal sarcoma,	John Ruprecht and Mary Kurtseheid
	10	Manuel Gomes,	—	10	9	Broncho pneumonia,	John Gomes and Mary Ahmeda
	11	Melvin Easias Peterson (died in Taunton)	70	—	6	Arterio sclerosis,	Easias Peterson and Mary Glover

DEATHS—Continued.

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Name of Parents
		Y	M		
May	12 Ellen Fihelly,	56	1	5 Chronic nephritis,	John Fihelly and Mary White
	14 Alice O'Brien,	87	10	— Enlargement of heart,	James Hassett and Mary Herrigan
	15 Stephen Moore Griffin,	51	4	6 Broncho pneumonia,	Eli Griffin and Eliza Moore
	15 Jacinthia Jacintho,	58	—	Diabetic coma,	Jacintho Tarvis and Annie Teves
	19 George M. Whitcomb,	54	3	16 Lobar pneumonia,	John B. Whitcomb and Elizabeth Moses
	20 Julia Fioray,	22	—	— Pelvic abscess. Septicæmia,	Lewis Fioray and ———
	22 Amelia A. Danforth (died in Boston)	58	2	— Accidental fall,	Andrew G. Gill and ——— LeBlanc
	23 Malcolm Meyers,	69	7	11 Pulmonary hemorrhage,	Charles Meyers and ———
	24 Amileare Anti,	51	1	14 Acute myocarditis,	Joseph Anti and Generosa Diegoli
	26 Antonio F. Carvalho,	—	8	27 Measles. Broncho pneumonia,	Antonio E. Carvalho and Josephine Teixeira
	27 William Thomas Willcott,	77	—	— Cerebral hemorrhage,	John Willcott and Anne Boston
	29 Betsey W. Hathaway,	82	3	1 Cerebral arterio sclerosis,	Barthabas Ellis and Marcia R. Doten
	29 Emma F. Elder,	74	5	9 Chronic bright's disease,	William M. Bancroft and Sarah J. Parker
June	29 Evelyn Louise Perry (died in Alston)	59	4	26 Incer of lung,	George R. Lawson and Louise Lawson
	39 Antonio Courtes,	1	5	15 Measles. Lobar pneumonia,	Abel Courtes and Anna Martin
	1 J. Justin Hogan,	12	2	14 Pernicious anaemia,	Augustine J. Hogan and Margaret Bopp
	3 Pearl Elizabeth Goulart,	—	5	— Acute milk infection,	Anthony Goulart and Matilda Seaver
	5 Mary A. Rhaldo (died in New Hampshire)	67	8	5 Cerebral hemorrhage,	Radelife Sutcliffe and Susan Hall
	6 Elizabeth Golde,	72	6	8 Broncho pneumonia,	Henry Davis and Lucetia Phinney
	9 Augustus H. Moning (died in Worcester)	69	4	23 Valvular heart disease,	James B. Condell and Susan Galt
	10 Albert L. Parker,	69	9	13 Meningitis,	Casper Moning and Mary E. Timmerhoff
	11 Teresa Cassanelli,	71	4	26 Pernicious anaemia,	Benjamin C. Parker and Joanna D. Raymond
	12 Marie Souza,	19	11	2 Peritonitis,	Louis Cassanelli and Celena Bragoli
	12 Hilda Ferreira,	1	2	14 Measles. Broncho pneumonia,	John Souza and Mary Jacintho
	12 Woodrow Wilson Wood,	1	10	27 Measles, Double pneumonia. Measles,	Manuel Ferreira and Albertina Esteves
	13 Columbus D. Maccaterri,	3	—	8 Broncho pneumonia, Measles,	George T. Wood and Susie N. Nickerson
July	13 Joaquin Anastacio,	2	10	8 Measles. Broncho pneumonia,	Achille Maccaterri and Mary Tedeschi
	13 Sarah Elizabeth Ellen Wright,	1	10	2 Organic heart disease,	Manuel Silva and Antonia Jesus
	15 Rosalie Churchill,	81	7	11 Cerebral hemorrhage,	Joaquin Anastacio and Marie Peleccio
	15	74	4	18 Cerebral hemorrhage,	Thomas Crowell and Sarah Mallows
					Jesse Briggs and Patience Bradford

June	15	Amelia Ruffini (died in Hanson)	18	9	20	Pulmonary tuberculosis, Premature birth,	Eugene Ruffini and Angelina Balboni
	17	John Goddard,	12	hours			Willard B. Goddard and Mary E. McMahon
	18	Olson Simpson (died in Hanson)	29	10	28	Pulmonary tuberculosis, Measles. Broncho pneumonia,	Harry Sampson and Julia M. Chandler
	19	Joseph Silva,	76	9	6	Ulcer of stomach,	Manuel Silva and Antonia J. Souza
	20	Isabella N. Churchill,	75	7	11	Prostatic disease,	Nelson T. Holmes and Lois Thomas
	25	William Henry Holman,	67	2	28	Chronic bright's disease, Suicide by hanging,	Sylvanus Holman and Lucy Fullum
	30	Charles Webber,				Stillborn,	Karl Webber and Barbara Noll
July	2	Ralph Rice (died in Boston)	3	1	27	Toxic myocarditis,	Israel Rice and Gittle Klimberg
	7	Elizabeth Schmitt,	88	1	3	Senile dementia,	John Eitel and
	10	Josephine Washburn,	85	10	9	Arterio sclerosis,	Francis Washburn and Judith Sampson
	16	Bridget Brady,	67	—	—	Accidental burning,	Andrew Brady and Mary Dillon
	17	Thomas Russell Watson, (died in Connecticut)	69	11	29	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Benjamin M. Watson and Mary Russell
	19	Fortunata Bovi,	42	—	—	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Nels Pierson and
	19	Ernest J. Pierson,	52	11	13	Hemorrhage from rupture,	Robert A. H. Inglis and Jennie Cunningham
	20	Isabella Louis Inglis,	8	3	19	Accidental burning,	John W. Burnie and Grace M. Alger
	21	James E. Burnie,	—	—	13	Hæmophilia,	
	22	Virginia P. Avery (died in Boston)	5	8	21	Mastoiditis,	Herbert S. Avery and Alma Anderson
	23					Stillborn,	Antone Perry and Priscilla J. Fratus
	24	Joseph Perry, (died in Boston)	18	7	15	Cerebro Spinal Meningitis,	Issachor Josselyn and Frances Cushman
	25	John F. Josselyn,	73	5	17	Cerebral hemorrhage,	
Aug.	1	Shaw,	30	min.		Hemorrhage from diseased cord,	J. Henry Shaw and Louise Hall
	3	Hazel Sherman,	—	10	23	Whooping cough,	George F. Sherman and Alice Weichel
	9	John E. Jordan,	67	7	14	Stillborn,	
						Œremic coma,	James Jordan and
	9					Chronic brights disease,	Benjamin Wiggin and Sarah Crosby
	10	Ellen Hatch,	84	4	19	Stillborn,	Joseph Boutin and Sophie Fougere
	12	Joseph Boutin, (died in Boston)	99	—	—	Valvular heart disease,	Aubrey Marsh and Libbie Lane
	12	Margie Christina Marsh,	12	6	6	Gangrene. Arterio sclerosis,	
	14					Accidental drowning,	and
	15	Helen E. Chandler,	59	1	6	Stillborn,	Ezra C. Chandler and Endora H. Wood
	16	Mary Ledo,	57	—	—	Enlargement of heart,	Frank Ledo and Mary L. Ledo
	18	Henrietta Rogers,	70	2	16	Acute dilatation of heart,	Everett Finney and Susan Leach
	19	Constance Gault,	70	—	6	Sclerosis of spinal cord,	John Gault and Mary Nolan
	20	George Mabbett,	71	3	—	Premature birth,	George Mabbett and Mary Ann
	20	Frank L. St. George,	65	—	23	Angina Pectoris. Arterial sclerosis, Septicæmia,	Frank L. St. George and Margaret Putnam

DEATHS—Continued.

Date	Name	Age		D	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
		Y	M			
Aug.	20 Lloyd Hedrick Evans,	7	7	15	Accidental drowning,	F. Waldron Evans and Fannie French
	21 Martin Herbert Ryder,	75	11	5	Nephritis.	Ezekiel Ryder and Hannah Everson
	24 Manuel Vieira,	39	6	17	Acute Dilatation of heart,	Frank Vieira and Maria Piques
	22 Clotilda Ardizzoni,	50	7	24	Acute regurgitation of heart,	Alonso Malaguti and Lilitia Maini
	28 Walter Samuel Irwin,	50	5	11	Myocarditis,	Joseph Irwin and Harriet Holmes
	28 Charlotte Doig,	50	5	11	Strangulated hernia,	James Edmunds and Margaret Hamilton
	28 Priscilla Wyburn (died in Brookton)	76	8	21	Myocarditis. Dementia,	Thomas Bartlett and Bethia Churchill
	30 Annie Alves,	2	5	22	Convulsions. Marasmus,	Joseph Alves and Mary Morta
	31 Etta Louise Burdett,	59	10	2	Lobar pneumonia,	Andrew Burdett and Hannah Adams
Sept.	2 Harriet P. Pope,	73	11	12	Angina pectoris,	Robert Williams and Sarah Stetson
	3 John Wade,	70	—	12	Chronic nephritis,	John Wade and Betsey Paulding
	3 Susan H. Bennett,	82	11	15	Acute indigestion,	James Tribble and Mary B. Holmes
	5 David Low Whitney (died in Boston)	1	10	4	Tubercular meningitis,	Arthur B. Whitney and Alice Low
	5 Albert E. Davis,	77	8	20	Cirrhosis of liver,	John R. Davis and Betsey Washburn
	9 Mary Elizabeth Bartlett,	70	6	21	Apoplexy,	Francis Adams and Susan Nye
	9 Samuel R. Bassett,	71	9	25	Chronic brights disease,	Thomas Bassett and Abby Chase
	11 Charles S. Davis,	62	8	10	Infraction of heart. Angina pectoris,	Charles G. Davis and Hannah S. Thomas
	12 ———— and ————	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and ————
	12 Frederick J. Mahler,	62	3	14	Cancer of the bowels,	Peter Mahler and Annie Mattern
	18 Fred W. Wood,	57	3	6	Intestinal obstruction,	William T. Wood and Julia Brewster
	23 Mary Alves,	23	11	2	Acute cardiac failure,	Joseph Morta and Mary Souza
	24 Annie May MacKensie,	6	3	14	Diphtheria,	Charles M. MacKensie and Minnie Eddy
	25 Jessie F. Emery,	55	5	3	Myocarditis,	George Michitosh and ————
	26 Frederick W. Peck,	26	—	14	Premature birth,	John P. Peck and Louise Quartz
	30 ———— and ————	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and ————
	30 George E. Batsford,	64	4	6	Chronic interstitial nephritis,	George Batsford and Sarah E. Miller
Oct.	1 Joseph Medeiros Caberinal,	63	—	—	Chronic endocarditis,	— and ————
	2 Lucille E. Colleton,	—	1	14	Cholera infantum. Malnutrition,	Frank J. Colleton and Teresa K. Leary
	2 Edward Rogers,	—	6	2	Diarrhea,	— and Mary Dotson
	4 Samuel Shoman,	49	9	2	Tumor of brain,	Ezra Shoman and Annie ————
	4 Amedeo Perry,	5	5	19	Gastro intestinal inflammation,	Serafino Perry and Emily Alves
	5 ———— and ————	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and ————

Oct.	6	William C. Chandler,	63	2	9	Uræmic poisoning, Chronic brights disease, Stillborn,	Albert C. Chandler and Adeline Harlow and
	8			5	9	Indigestion.	Andrew R. Reed and Mary Carnes
10	Ann E. Besse (died in Maine)	75	—	16	Myocarditis. Chronic brights disease,	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Barzilla B. Morse and Betsey M. Pierce
12	Ann F. Soule (died in Middleboro)	77	—	15	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Broncho pneumonia,	Henniah F. Holmes and Anna F. Dean
13	Lula Ruth Holmes,	—	8	4	Pulmonary oedema,	Tumor of brain,	David Werkmeister and Clara
17	David Werkmeister,	69	—	6	24	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Elisha Benson and Eneline Thomas
19	Ella F. Finney,	63	—	24	Tumor of brain,	Sick from birth,	James H. Bagnell and Catherine Donnelly
20	Lawrence A. Bagnell,	26	—	8	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Uræmic poisoning,	Harry R. Sampson and Leticia Burbank
20	Phoebe Vincent (died in Hanson)	16	10	8	Sick from birth,	Arterio sclerosis,	Thomas S. Scully and Doris Haskins
20	Norman Vincent Scully,	—	1	22	Uræmic poisoning,	Endocarditis,	Ira Litchfield and Sally Howland
22	Charles I. Litchfield,	80	7	17		Cerebral hemorrhage,	Benjamin Bramhall and Hannah Gooding
24	Benjamin L. Bramhall (died in Boston)	71	2	16		Cancer of stomach,	Ellis Sampson and Sarah H. Borlean
25	Andrew Jackson Simpson,	85	7	—		Cerebral tumor,	Thomas Hadaway and Frances Seymour
25	Augustus S. Hadaway,	87	10	13		Stillborn,	William Milnes and Emma Sykes
26	Maria Loft,	54	3	2		Accidental burning,	Richard A. Sears and Rosanna Raymond
27	Herbert W. Sears,	54	7	9		Accidental burning,	and
28						Accidental burning,	Crescino Rocha and Wilhelmina Cordiera
29	Mary Rocha,	3	9	—		Acute delirium,	and
29	Olivia Rocha,	1	1	9	25		Crescino Rocha and Wilhelmina Cordiera
30	Wilhelmina Rocha,	22	—	—	—		Mariano Cordiera and Maria Cordiera
31	Martha Capello (died in Taunton)	40	—	—	—		and

Nov.

2	Barnabas H. Holmes,	67	7	7	Enlargement of heart,	Nelson Holmes and Lois Thomas
2	Hannah S. Harvey,	78	11	27	Enlargement of liver,	Wilson Harrows and Elizabeth Sherman
2	Benjamin B. Manter,	70	2	27	Organic heart disease,	George Manter and Ruth Sampson
7	— Stewart,	—	—	2	Infantile heart,	Robert H. Stewart and Catherine I. Ryder
9	Lucy M. Grinnell,	52	9	8	Cerebral hemorrhage,	John Harlow and Lucy Burgess
9	Josephine Santos,	1	4	—	Broncho Pneumonia,	Mariano Santos and Mary Pacheco
12	Frances Vasconselles,	35	6	—	Acute milary tuberculosis,	Diogo Baptist and Maria —
16	Marjorie Maynard	6	7	9	Infantile spinal paralysis,	Louis D. Maynard and Kathleen Adamson
17	Rebecca W. Cobb,	80	9	24	Chronic bronchitis,	Charles Cobb and Rebecca Wadsworth
18	John Crowell Nickerson,	66	4	2	Carcinoma of the liver,	David Nickerson and Hannah Crowell
18	Alice Louise Lewis,	—	1	24	Broncho pneumonia,	Manuel Lewis and Mary Souza
20	Anelia S. Cobb,	82	9	8	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Oliver Alden and Lucinda Cobb
20	Elizabeth A. Dinan,	67	2	23	Cerebral hemorrhage,	John Pike and Elizabeth Gaud
22	Henry E. Llewellyn (died in Maine)	61	7	29	Angina pectoris,	William Llewellyn and Ellen Crowley
25	George W. Cooper,	82	6	2	Paralysis of the bowels,	George Cooper and Mary Covington
27	John A. Rogan,	66	6	13	Intestinal obstruction,	Thomas Rogan and Ann Federgren

Albert C. Chandler and Adeline Harlow _____ and _____
 Andrew R. Reed and Mary Carnes _____
 Barzilla B. Morse and Betsey M. Pierre _____
 Herman F. Holmes and Anna F. Dean _____
 David Werkmeister and Clara _____
 Eliza Benson and Eueline Thomas _____
 James H. Bagnell and Catherine Donnelly _____
 Harry R. Simpson and Lucretia Burbank _____
 Thomas S. Scully and Doris Haskins _____
 Ira Litchfield and Sally Howland _____
 Benjamin Bramhall and Hannah Gooding _____
 Ellis Simpson and Sarah H. Borteau _____
 Thomas Hadaway and Frances Seymour _____
 William Milnes and Emma Sykes _____
 Richard A. Sears and Rosama Raymond _____
 _____ and _____
 Crespino Rocha and Wilhelmina Cordiera _____
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 Mariano Cordiera and Maria Cordiera _____ and _____
 Nelson Holmes and Lois Thomas _____
 Wilson Barrows and Elizabeth Sherman _____
 George Manter and Ruth Simpson _____
 Robert H. Stewart and Catherine I. Ryder _____
 John Harlow and Lucy Burgess _____
 Mariano Santos and Mary Pacheco _____
 Diogo Bardist and Maria _____
 Louis D. Maynard and Kathleen Adamson _____
 Charles Cobb and Rebecca Wadsworth _____
 David Nickerson and Hannah Crowell _____
 Manuel Lewis and Mary Souza _____
 Oliver Alden and Lucinda Cobb _____
 John Fife and Elizabeth Gaurd _____
 William Llewellyn and Ellen Crowley _____
 George Cooper and Mary Covington _____
 Thomas Rogan and Ann Federger _____

DEATHS—Continued.

Date	Name	Age	Y	M	D	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
Dec. 4	Norman Soule,	1	—	5	—	Tubercular meningitis,	— and Hattie F Soule
4	Sarah Lee,	66	—	12	—	Cerebral hemorrhage,	Henry Jones and Frances Martin
4	Margaret J. Junior	49	3	6	—	Acute cholecystitis,	John Couley and Elizabeth M. —
5	Herbert E. Mabbett (died in Boston)	47	11	5	—	Aortitis. Coronary disease,	George Mabbett and Lucy Fiske
6	Gaetano Bosari (died in Hanson)	61	7	24	—	Pulmonary tuberculosis,	Joseph Bosari and Mary Velani
8	Nathaniel Doty,	75	—	—	—	Paralysis agitans,	Nathaniel Doty and Johanna Bailey
9	Phoebe Carter,	29	—	—	—	Automobile accident,	John C'oud and Jeanette Burrill
10	Edward J. O'Brien,	48	5	6	—	Alcoholism,	Thomas O'Brien and Bridget O'Brien
12	Eugene Callahan,	73	4	—	—	Senile gangrene,	Daniel Callahan and Margaret Haggerty
12	Alice Desdemona Taddia,	19	6	3	—	Automobile accident,	Timotio Taddia and Elvira Alberti
12	Tolanda Teresa Taddia,	18	3	22	—	Automobile accident,	Timotio Taddia and Elvira Alberti
12	Lena Masaschi,	17	4	2	—	Automobile accident,	Giovanni Masaschi and Adelide Gandolfi
13	Nancy P. Lapham,	77	4	19	—	Valvular heart,	Lothrop C. King and Nancy P. Norton
14	Thomas A. Hart (died in New Hampshire)	84	—	20	—	Chronic myocarditis,	Thomas A. Hart and Sally Fogg
15	Mary Faunce,	88	8	24	—	Cholelithiasis,	Joseph Sampson and Hannah Burgess
16	—	—	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and —
17	—	—	—	—	—	Non closure of foramen ovale,	Edward P. Finney and Cecelia E. Seaver
17	—	—	—	—	—	Stillborn,	— and —
21	Mary W. Churchill,	68	2	2	—	Lobar pneumonia,	Wilson Churchill and Mary A. George
21	Hannah F. Courtney,	68	—	—	—	Enlargement of heart,	Nathaniel Ellis and —
21	George Frank,	66	5	17	—	Carcinoma of the stomach,	Antonio Frank and Sarah Chamberlain
26	Lewis H. Gould,	71	2	5	—	Chronic interstitial nephritis,	Horace Gould and Charlotte A. Goodwin
29	Mary Boltari,	1	8	23	—	Aortic regurgitation,	Autone Boltari and Mary Tavase
29	Alice Gilmore Hardy,	86	—	—	—	Bronecho pneumonia,	— and —
31	Helen Thomas Ballard (died in New York)	83	9	28	—	Chronic bronchitis,	Weston Freeman and Mary Hunt

SUMMARY.

BIRTHS, 1920.

Number registered, 296, of which 33 were non-residents.	
Males,	148
Females,	148
Both parents born in—	
United States,	128
Italy,	43
Portugal,	24
Others,	18
St. Michaels,	5
Russia,	5
England,	2
Ireland,	2
Nova Scotia,	1
Cape Verde Islands,	1
Mixed, one American,	57
Mixed, neither American,	10
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	296

MARRIAGES, 1920.

Number registered in 1920,	178
Both parties born in—	
United States,	97
Italy,	16
Portugal,	10

St. Michaels,	4
Russia,	2
England,	1
France,	1
Jamaica,	1
Germany,	1
Cape Verde Islands,	1
Mixed, one American,	38
Mixed, neither American,	6
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DEATHS, 1920.

Number of deaths registered 260, of which 31 were non-residents, and 40 died out of Town, burial taking place in Plymouth.

Born in—	
United States,	204
Italy,	13
England,	7
Ireland,	7
Germany,	6
Nova Scotia,	6
Portugal,	5
Azores.	2
Scotland,	2
France,	1
Russia,	1
Sweden,	1
Canada.	1
Cape Breton,	1

New Brunswick,	1
St. Michaels,	1
Unknown,	1
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There have been issued from the Town Clerk's office for the year 1920, licenses as follows:

- 831 Resident citizen's combination certificates of registration.
- 6 Non-resident citizen's combination certificates of registration.

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- 224 Resident fisherman's certificates of registration.
- 35 Non-resident fisherman's certificates of registration.
- 4 Alien fisherman's certificates of registration.

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- 85 Resident lobster fisherman's certificates of registration.
- 2 Non-resident lobster fisherman's certificates of registration.

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- 46 Trapper's certificates of registration.

- 88 Female dog licenses.

- 563 Male dog licenses.

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There have also been paid from this office bounties on 2 seals.

GEORGE B. HOWLAND, *Town Clerk.*



TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

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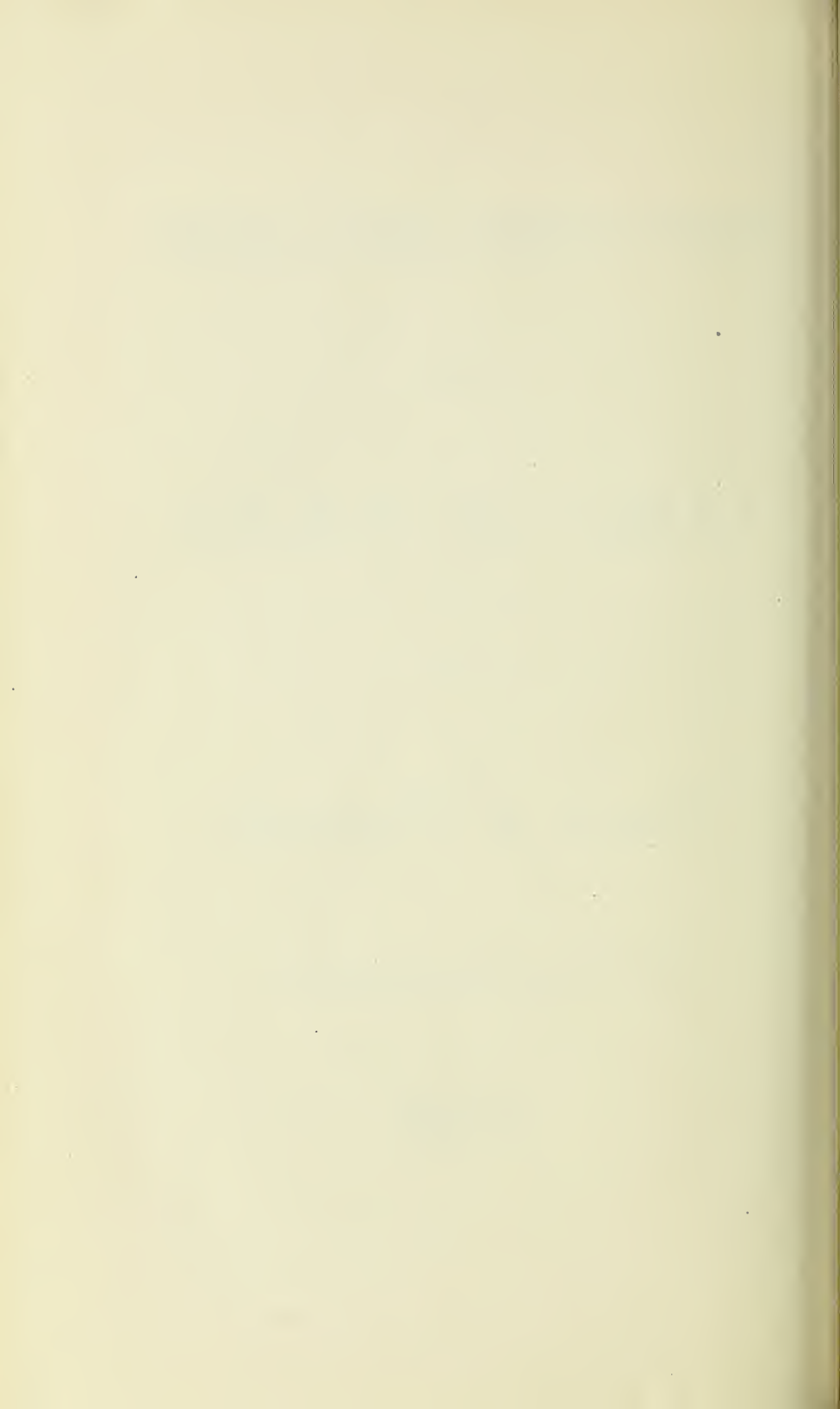
CHIEF OF POLICE

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

For the Year Ending December 31

1920



POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to respectfully submit to you the following report for the year ending December 31, 1920.

ORGANIZATION.

John Armstrong, *Chief*.

Patrolmen.

Joseph W. Schilling, Lincoln S. Wixon, John Gault, Jacob E. Peck, George H. Bell.

Constables.

John Armstrong, Joseph W. Schilling, Lincoln S. Wixon, John Gault, Jacob E. Jeck, George H. Bell, Herman W. Tower, Edward D. Dunton, James M. Cameron.

Special Police Officers.

John Naumen, Roscoe A. Jewell, Harry L. Sampson, Charles Sanderson, James M. Cameron, Thomas J. Kennedy, John Bodell, William Armstrong, James M. Downey, Thomas W. Regan, Frank H. Cushman, Charles J. Grandi, Alfred Holmes, Edward K. Morse, Geoffrey D. Perrior, J. Murray Atwood, Russell L. Dickson, James W. Lewis, Charles Webber, Joseph Mentzel, Fred Longhi, Nicholas Stephan, William Griswold, Joseph W. Richardson, Neil McKay, Jesse Brewer, Leon D. Badger, Edward Wall.

Fire Police.

Charles H. Raymond.

Janitor and Keeper of Police Station.

Thomas J. Kennedy.

Special Police for Limited Territory.

Edward F. Stranger, Cemeteries and Burial Hill; Martin W. Holmes, Burial Hill; Charles O. Barke, Pilgrim Monument; Benjamin F. Walker, Morton School; William H. Raymond, Mount Pleasant School; Horace Anderson, Fresh Pond; Charles F. H. Harris, South Pond; William S. Fuller, South Pond; John H. Damon, Plymouth Beach; Ralph Matinzi, Boys' Club; Charles Coates, High School; Frank Thomas, R. B. Symington's Estate; George A. Burgess, South Street School; Harry Armstrong, John Goodwin and Alfred C. Nickerson, for George Mabbett & Sons Company; George Barlow, Malcolm Robichau, and Joseph W. Sylvia for Old Colony Theatre, Marander Johnstone and Charles Williamson for Plymouth Theatre; Alexander Taylor, Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company; William E. Baker, Martin Anderson, Charles Wedell, Samuel Gray, Alex. Bongiovanni, John F. Doyle, David Dean, W. F. Mitchell, James Shaw, Adelbert L. Christie, Edward White, A. M. Dougals, John McCormick, Antone F. Lorenzo, George K. Harding, Robert Anderson, Axel Freiburg, William Cameron, Edward Sweeney, George Fox, John Grandi, James Bain, Robert Fox, for Plymouth Cordage Company; Charles L. Robbins for Plymouth Cordage Company; Lewis F. Smith, at Training Green; Thomas Baldner, at State Armory.

ARRESTS BY MONTH.

	Males	Females	Total
January,	4	0	4
February,	6	2	8
March,	11	1	12
April,	16	0	16
May,	40	3	43
June,	11	0	11
July,	42	0	42
August,	28	0	28
September,	41	0	41
October,	25	2	27
November,	32	2	34
December,	27	1	28
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BUSINESS OF POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Total number of arrests,	294
Males,	283
Females,	11
Residents,	210
Non-Residents,	84
Amount of fines imposed,	\$1,855.00
Number of fines imposed,	66
Appealed cases,	14
Continued cases,	51
Discharged,	41
Released without arraignment,	41
Placed on file,	28
Probation,	26

Taunton Insane Hospital,	5
House of Correction,	5
Shirley School,	5
Wrentham School,	1
Arrested for out of Town Officers,	8
Held for Grand Jury,	3
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OFFENCES.

	Males	Females	Total
Assault and Battery,	17	0	17
Bastardy,	1	0	1
Breaking and Entering,	14	0	14
Carrying Revolver,	3	0	3
Concealed Weapons,	1	0	1
Cruelty to Animals,	1	0	1
Disturbing the Peace,	28	0	28
Disorderly Person,	0	3	3
Drunkenness,	43	0	43
Fornication,	0	1	1
Gambling,	14	0	14
Gambling, present where imp. were found,	25	0	25
Giving Liquor to Prisoner,	1	0	1
Habitual Absentee,	1	0	1
Insane,	1	4	5
Indecent Exposure,	1	0	1
Keeping Child from School,	3	1	4
Larceny,	16	1	17
Larceny, Attempt,	1	1	2
Lewdness,	1	3	4

Loitering,	1	0	1
Malicious Mischief,	5	0	5
Manslaughter,	1	0	1
Neglected Children,	7	3	10
Neglect of Children,	1	2	3
Non-support of Wife and Children,	5	0	5
Peddling Without License,	2	0	2
Possession of Stolen Property,	3	0	3
Runaway Children,	2	0	2
Reckless Discharge of Fire Arms,	1	0	1
Refusing to Pay Fare on Street Car,	3	0	3
Stubborn Child,	1	0	1
Soliciting for Prostitution,	3	0	3
Threatening Language,	1	0	1
Trespassing,	8	0	8
Truancy,	1	0	1
True Name Act,	1	0	1
Vehicle Without Light,	1	0	1
Violating Liquor Law,	5	0	5
Violating Automobile Law,	45	0	45
Violating Probation,	1	2	3
Vagrancy,	3	0	3
	<hr/> 273	<hr/> 21	<hr/> 294

MISCELLANEOUS WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT.

Children reported lost and found,	8
Strayed teams returned to owner,	3
Doors found open by night officers,	57
Night's lodging given to,	7
Complaints received and investigated,	1,226

As the duties of the Police Department this season will be somewhat different from anything we have ever had before, in the Town of Plymouth, the following are a few of the many things which we need to keep this department up to the same standard of efficiency as it has been during the past years.

As we shall have a large number of visitors this summer to take care of, I will respectfully recommend, that six regular patrolmen be appointed for the season, and with this addition and the extra special police officers, of which there will be quite a number, we shall be able to take care of any situation which may arise.

I will also recommend that the rank of Sergeant be installed into this department, he to take charge of the night officers and all night work in general.

To keep the respect and confidence of the public, it is very important that this body of police officers be dressed neat and respectable, I therefore earnestly suggest that the Town of Plymouth purchase uniforms for the officers (regulars and specials), for the coming year. I will also respectfully recommend that a special appropriation of \$1,500.00 be made for this purpose.

As the automobile is very essential in police work, and will be more so this summer, the one we have at present is not so large or so powerful as it might be, and a larger car would be of great benefit to this department for the ensuing year, I therefore respectfully recommend that a special appropriation of \$2,200.00 be made for this purpose.

I will also recommend the installation of a police signal system. It would be a great benefit to the people of this town, and another step towards efficiency in the Police Department.

As the cost to run this department will be considerable this year, and taking everything into consideration, I respectfully recommend an appropriation of \$23,000.00 for the year 1921.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN ARMSTRONG, *Chief of Police.*

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Aggregate Valuation,	\$20,964,075 00
Assessed and Exempted:	
Under Clause 9 and 10,	\$52,025 00
Under Clause 13 and 14,	47,225 00
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	99,250 00
Available for Taxation,	<hr/> \$20,864,825 00
Valuation of Personal,	\$5,297,600 00
Valuation of Real,	\$15,567,225 00
Gain on Personal,	\$253,000 00
Gain on Real,	\$1,034,465 00
Rate, \$22.80 on \$1,000.00.	

Division of Taxes.

Apr. 1. Tax on Personal,	\$120,744 81
Apr. 1. Tax on Real,	354,863 19
Apr. 1. Tax 3,536 Polls, Town, \$2 each,	7,072 00
Apr. 1. Tax 3,536 Polls, State, bonus, \$3 each,	10,608 00
Dec. 20. Tax on Personal,	40 47
Dec. 20. Tax on Real,	69 54
Dec. 20. Tax 16 Polls, Town, \$2 each,	32 00
Dec. 20. Tax 16 Polls, State, bonus, \$3 each,	48 00
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	\$493,478 01

Amount to be Raised.

State,	\$49,420 00
State Highway,	7,732 73
State, Chapter 557, Acts 1920,	2,329 80
County,	31,399 60
Town,	390,530 16
Overlay,	1,409 12
State Poll Tax Bonus,	10,656 00
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	\$493,478 01

Warrant to Collector.

Personal,	\$120,185 28
Real,	354,932 73
Polls,	17,760 00
Moth,	1,183 96
Non-Resident Bank Tax,	5,876 70
Excise Tax,	10 00
Reassessed,	217 17
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	\$500,765 84

Individuals, residents assessed on property,	2,125
All Others, residents assessed on property,	645
Individuals, non-residents assessed on property,	836
All others, non-residents assessed on property,	177
Persons assessed on property,	3,783
Persons assessed poll tax only,	2,128
Polls assessed,	3,552
Polls assessed and exempted, Clause 10,	60
Polls assessed and exempted, Clause 14,	34
Polls assessed and exempted Chapter 49,	462
Horses,	346
Cows,	427
Neat Cattle,	14

Sheep,	15
Swine,	60
Fowl,	4,325
Dwelling Houses,	3,356
Acres of Land,	50,342

Exempted Property, Chap. 490, Sec. 5, Acts 1909.

Charitable, Benevolent, Historical,	\$581,975 00
Houses of Religious Worship,	348,775 00
County of Plymouth,	393,675 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts,	49,400 00
Town of Plymouth,	1,085,750 00
United States of America,	116,150 00

Abatement Account.

Levy of 1918.

Dec. 31, 1919, Balance,	\$1,582 37
Dec. 31, 1920, Added,	67 28

\$1,649 65

Dec. 31, 1920, Abatements,	777 12
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Balance to Reserve Account,	\$872 53
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Levy 1919.

Dec. 31, 1919, Balance,	\$7,707 64
Dec. 31, 1920, Abatements,	57 20

\$7,650 44

Levy 1920.

Sept., Overlay,	\$1,267 11
Dec. 20, Additional \$142.01, Reassessed \$217.17,	359 18

\$1,626 29

Dec. 31, 1920, Abatements,	1,127 87
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\$498 42

We recommend an appropriation for salaries of the Assessors \$3,000.00 and for clerks and expenses \$2,200.00, also the sum of \$2,000.00 from the reserve fund for the abatement of taxes for the year 1920, and to continue the survey and plans of the Town \$500.00.

JAMES C. BATES,

NATHANIEL G. LANMAN,

GEORGE HARLOW,

Assessors of Plymouth.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1920.

Almshouse—

Number of Inmates Jan. 1, 1920,	12	
Admitted during the year,	4	
	—	16
(One man admitted Nov. 15, discharged Nov. 17, appears in list of Outside Poor, not included here.)		
Number discharged during 1920,	4	
Died,	3	
	—	7
Inmates remaining Jan. 1, 1921,		9

Of the number of inmates given above, as remaining on the first of the year, there are seven men and two women. Ages: three are between 54 and 64; three between 72 and 73, and three between 79 and 83. Of the three deaths during the year one man was found to have had some money on deposit with one of our banks. We have presented a bill to the administrator of the estate for reimbursement. At Christmas time we expended \$13.71 of the income from the Julia P. Robinson fund, as provided, for the benefit of the inmates at the house. Under the superintendence of Mr. and Mrs. Russell L. Dickson the house and grounds are well kept and the inmates properly cared for. The usual garden was planted producing something like 100 bushels of potatoes, 25 bushels of shelled corn, 9 bushels of onions, 10 bushels of tomatoes, 2,000 pounds of cabbage and the usual summer vegetables like beans, sweet

corn, squash, cucumber, beets, etc.; 1,149 pounds of pork, milk, and some butter have also been produced.

For the cost of repairs made on the Almshouse, and the maintenance of the inmates, reference may be had to the town accountant's figures appended hereunto.

Outside:

We still continue to note the decrease in the number of applications for aid that we referred to in our 1919 report. This condition obtained well up to the end of the year, but from indications since then, and up to the present writing, it will be much different in 1921. Our

Total Expenditures for the Almshouse and Out-	
side Aid were,	\$13,283 06
Less Reimbursements received on this account,	1,136 22
Net Cost of the Department for the year 1920,	\$12,146 84
We recommend an appropriation for 1921 of \$14,500.00.	

MOTHERS' AID.

Chapter 763, Acts of 1913.

During the past year, contrary to our expectations, our calls for aid under this head were less rather than more, in consequence of which \$2,790.82 of the money appropriated will revert to the town. We expended \$4,209.18, and have received from the State for reimbursement \$1,933.83, leaving \$2,275.35 as the net cost to the town.

Aid was discontinued to five mothers with fifteen children by reason, in three cases, of sufficient earnings in the family to enable them to get along, while the other two being widows, remarried.

At present we are aiding eight mothers with 23 children un-

der 14, and 6 children over 14. Then we have one family in another place which is receiving aid at the expense of this town.

We recommend an appropriation of \$5,500.00 for use of this branch of our business.

POOR DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$15,000.00	
Income from Trust Funds,	106.09	
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Total,		\$15,106.09

Payments—

General Administration—

Salary of Chairman,	\$50.00	
Salary of Secretary,	350.00	
Printing and Stationery,	10.00	
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Total General Administration,		\$410.00

Almshouse—

Salary of Superintendent,	\$624.00	
Other Salaries and Wages,	1,048.33	
Groceries and Provisions,	1,946.56	
Dry Goods and Clothing,	387.67	
Building,	264.76	
Fuel and Light,	685.09	
Equipment,	138.58	
Hay and Grain,	1,155.30	
All Other,	367.29	
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Total Almshouse,		6,611.58

Outside Relief by Town—

Cash,	\$1,309.50	
Rent,	876.50	
Groceries and Provisions,	2,393.53	

Coal and Wood,	405.25
Dry Goods and Clothing,	23.50
Medical Attendance,	283.00
Burials,	88.00
State Institutions,	94.00
Other Institutions,	283.40
All Other,	216.00

Total Outside Relief by Town,	5,972.68
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Relief Given by Other Cities and Towns—

Cities,	\$85.43
Towns,	172.03

Total Relief Given by other Cities and Towns,	257.46
Other Expenses,	25.34

Total Payments,	13,283.06
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$1,823.03
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INCOME FROM JULIA P. ROBINSON FUND.

Expended by Overseers of the Poor for Inmates of Almshouse,	\$13.71
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MOTHERS' AID.

Appropriation,	\$7,000.00
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Payments—

Cash,	\$3,767.66
Rent,	319.00
Fuel,	96.52
All Other,	26.00

Total Payments	4,209.18
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,	\$2,790.82
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Reimbursements received during the year:

Se. Charities.

81.	Almshouse or Town Farm	
a.	Sale of Produce and Stock,	\$61.16
b.	Board	
c.	Miscellaneous,	3 85
82.	Reimbursements for Relief Given	
a.	From Individuals,	45 00
b.	From Other Cities and Towns,	137 38
c.	From State,	888 83
83.	Reimbursements for Mothers' Aid	
a.	From Individuals	
b.	From Other Cities and Towns	
c.	From State,	1,933 83
84.	Municipal General Hospitals	
85.	Miscellaneous	
Total from Charities,		<hr/> \$3,070 05

CHARLES A. STRONG,
WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
HERBERT W. BARTLETT,

Overseers of the Poor, Town of Plymouth, Mass.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1920.

OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS CEMETERIES.

Appropriation March 27th,	\$10,000 00	
Appropriation December 30th,	500 00	
Income from Funds, for care and general use,	244 71	
	<hr/>	\$10,744 71

Expenditures.

Superintendent's Salary,	\$1,491 50	
Labor, Material, etc.,	7,748 97	
Survey, etc.,	226 10	
Telephone,	17 51	
Tools and Repairs,	40 20	
Stationery, Printing and Clerical Services,	113 73	
Extermination Gypsy Moths,	650 75	
Foundations,	375 01	
	<hr/>	10,663 77
Unexpended,		\$80 94

Receipts.

Sale of Lots,	\$430 90	
Burials,	322 50	
Care and making of Lots,	2,077 04	
Foundations,	13 73	
	<hr/>	\$2,844 17

We recommend that ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) be appropriated for the year 1921.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR LAYING OF WATER
PIPES IN OAK GROVE AND VINE HILLS
CEMETERIES.

Unexpended from 1919,	\$49 42	
Appropriation,	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$149 42

Expenditures.

Pipe and Fittings,	\$61 22	
Labor,	36 30	
	<hr/>	\$97 52

Unexpended.		\$51 90
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During the past year we have laid 174 feet 1 1-4 inch galvanized iron pipe and added two 3-4 inch galvanized iron stand pipes and faucets.

BURIAL HILL.

Appropriation March 27th,	\$1,500 00	
Appropriation December 30th,	50 00	
Income from Trust Funds,	212 08	
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Expenditures.

General Care,	\$1,388 83	
Burials,	8 70	
Care and making of Lots,	152 25	
Superintendent's Salary,	38 50	
Repairs to Entrance,	137 70	
Tools and Repairs,	15 52	
Police,	4 50	
Foundations,	16 00	
	<hr/>	1,762 00
Unexpended,		\$ 08

Receipts.

Labor and Care of Funded Lots,	\$239 18	
Burials,	6 00	
Miscellaneous,	13 32	
	<hr/>	\$258 50

We recommend that seventeen hundred dollars (\$1,700.00) be appropriated for the year 1921.

The Massachusetts Society of the "Sons of the American Revolution," wishing to donate toward the Tercentenary celebration, made a request of the Cemetery Commissioners for permission to build a replica of the Powder House, built in 1770. This permission was given and the replica has been built on the location of the previous Powder House.

In view of this fact and other considerations, the Commissioners feel that the town should improve the surroundings and therefore ask for an appropriation of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) for grading and improving about the Powder House replica and the building of walks on Burial Hill.

APPROPRIATION FOR REVOLUTIONARY MARKERS.

Unexpended from 1919,	\$59 65
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No work has been done under this appropriation during the past year.

CHILTONVILLE, MANOMET, CEDARVILLE AND SOUTH POND CEMETERIES.

Appropriation,	\$300 00
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Expenditures.

Chiltonville, General Repairs,	\$146 74	
Care of Lots,	21 00	
Manomet, General Care,	21 90	
	<hr/>	189 64
Unexpended,		<hr/> \$110 36

Receipts.

Chiltonville, Sale of Lots,	\$41 04	
Manomet, Sale of Lots,	44 80	
	<hr/>	\$85 84

We recommend an appropriation of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for the year 1921.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITION TO MANOMET CEMETERY.

Balance from 1919,	\$243 25
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Expenditures.

Surveying,	\$64 75	
Markers,	35 20	
Miscellaneous,	6 40	
	<hr/>	106 35
Unexpended,		<hr/> \$136 90

Twenty-three funds have been established during the past year, amounting to twenty-six hundred and twenty-five dol-

lars (\$2,625.00), all of which you will find in the report of the Town Accountant.

At a joint meeting of the Selectmen and Cemetery Commissioners held Monday afternoon, October 25th, 1920, Arthur E. Blackmer was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George Mabbett.

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE M. SAUNDERS,

HENRY W. BARNES,

ARTHUR E. BLACKMER,

Cemetery Commissioners.

The members of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners who served with Mr. Mabbett wish to express their sense of loss in his death. Serving as chairman from time of the first organization of the board until his death, he brought to that office a knowledge gained by a long and successful experience in business and his interest in the department was manifested by the time and thought that he gave without stint for its good.

HORACE M. SAUNDERS,

HENRY W. BARNES.

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Plymouth:

During the past year the Parks have been kept in order as usual.

The foot bridges at Morton Park have been thoroughly repaired and the roads widened in several places where it was really necessary. We are of the opinion that the very severe winter of 1919 helped us to a great extent in exterminating the Gypsy moth, as they were not as prevalent last year in Morton Park as usual. We also think that the birds did their share towards helping to exterminate these pests, by eating and destroying the egg clusters of the moth on the trees, during the heavy snow period which lasted for some weeks last season, as they were frequently seen by us pecking away at them, but always seemed to prefer the grain that we distributed for them, at short intervals. One of our mottos is "Protect the Birds."

The weather has been very favorable for cutting out the oak wood in Morton Park this season, about 75 cords being cut thus far. We would like to continue this work as much as possible as we are positive that it will be a great benefit to the Park in the future.

The Bath Houses were patronized to a greater extent than usual the past year and very much appreciated, not only by the inhabitants of the town but by people touring from a great many different states. It is absolutely necessary that we have more parking room for autos at Beach Park to avoid accidents which are sure to follow if something is not done at once.

We have a small amount of space to fill on the southerly side which will help a little, but even that will not be sufficient to

supply the needs of the coming year. The piazza roof which was added to the bath house last season proved a big success and was also very much appreciated.

We are pleased to state that the management of the different bath houses proved very satisfactory, not a complaint coming to our notice the entire season, which speaks very well for an institution of that kind.

The Stephens Field Playground is getting to be quite a popular place during the summer months, especially among the base ball players. We realize the conditions at this place are not very favorable just at present for a general playground but we hope to get a portion of it ready as soon as possible.

We ask for an appropriation of \$300.00 for improvements here, such as loaming, improving bathing facilities, seats, drain pipes, etc.

We especially recommend that the town acquire the Stephens property adjoining the westerly side of said playground and make an appropriation therefor.

The Nelson Street Bath House was patronized more than usual the past year and we propose to establish some playground apparatus at this place.

For the ensuing year we ask \$4,200.00 for the improvements and maintainence of the different parks and bath houses; \$300.00 for Stephens Field playground; \$300.00 for cutting wood in Morton Park and \$300.00 for Training Green.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN F. RAYMOND,

JOHN RUSSELL,

WILLIAM H. BEEVER,

Park Commissioners.

REIMBURSEMENTS.

Bath House Receipts,	\$717 40	
Parks,	450 00	
Total,	<u> </u>	\$1,167 40

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$3,950 00	
Income from Morton Fund,	101 25	
Total,	<u> </u>	\$4,051 25

Payments.

General—

Salaries and Wages,	\$2,004 63	
Teams,	292 50	
All Other,	512 06	
Total General,	<u> </u>	\$2,809 19

Bathing Beaches—

Labor,	\$660 90	
Supplies,	135 28	
Repairs,	418 44	
Total Bathing Beaches,	<u> </u>	\$1,214 62

Total Payments,		\$4,023 81
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		\$27 44
Transfer to Training Green Appropriation,		25 95
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Balance to Excess and Deficiency,		\$1 49

CUTTING AND PILING WOOD IN MORTON PARK.

Balance from 1919,	\$160 67	
Appropriation,	500 00	
Total,	<hr/>	\$660 67
<i>Payments.</i>		
Labor,	\$307 12	
Tools,	7 75	
Total Payments,	<hr/>	\$314 87
Balance Remaining,		<hr/> \$345 80

TRAINING GREEN.

Appropriation,	\$300 00	
Transfer from Park Dept. Appropriation,	25 95	
Total,	<hr/>	\$325 95
<i>Payments.</i>		
Salaries and Wages,	\$288 70	
Teams,	11 00	
Loam,	11 25	
All Other,	15 00	
Total Payments,	<hr/>	\$325 95

STEPHENS FIELD.

Balance from 1919,	\$ 21	
Appropriation,	150 00	
Total,	<hr/>	\$150 21
<i>Payments.</i>		
Labor,	\$70 50	
Right of Way,	25 00	
All Other,	54 39	
Total Payments,	<hr/>	\$149 89
Balance remaining,		<hr/> \$ 32

PLYMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY

The directors of the Plymouth Public Library respectfully report to the Town its activities for the past year, its present condition, and prospective needs that call for consideration.

The total number of volumes in the library is 16,566, of which 816 were added since the last report, 195 being gifts.

The circulation of books for the year was 45,730, the juvenile portion being 14,900; while the record of attendance has risen to 27,659, a notable increase in both instances.

We are indebted to the Arts and Crafts committee of the Plymouth Woman's Club, and to Miss Mary G. Bartlett, for pictures of interest and educational value which were freely circulated.

A large number of magazines, contributed by the public, were sent to the Coast-guard station at Manomet, and to the Plymouth County Hospital at South Hanson, where they were received with gratitude.

We are under obligation to the Massachusetts Free Public Library Commission (now "The Division of Libraries of the department of Education") for a large assortment of desirable books in Italian, Yiddish, Syrian, Polish and Norwegian, all of which have been in active circulation through the year. This collection is returned after a time and replaced by other carefully selected books; a feature much appreciated by those who use this department of our library.

Gifts of desirable books have been received during the year from the following: Mr. and Mrs. Theo. P. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lord, Mrs. Herbert H. Chandler, Mrs. Harold M.

Bruce, Miss Anna Bent, Miss Margaret Kyle, Miss Appleton, Miss Stedman, Dr. Helen F. Pierce, Dr. Huiginn, Mr. John Russell, Mr. Percy Haight, Mr. E. E. Hobart, Mrs. Westwood, Mrs. H. A. Spooner, Mrs. R. H. Morgan, Miss Thorp, The Royal Italian Embassy and the United States War Department. The Plymouth Book club also sent its usual welcome contribution of choice books, and the Arts and Crafts Committee of the Plymouth Woman's Club gave donations of value. Grateful acknowledgement was duly made to the several donors, and is here recorded.

The first assistant, Miss Gladys Greene, continues her service to the children, in the charming story-telling hour on Sunday afternoons, which she introduced last year.

This occasion is limited to children from six to ten years of age, and is held on alternate Sundays from November to May. The attendance has been constant and at times more than ninety have been present, crowding the limited space of the library.

This volunteer service is of uncommon educational and moral value, in cultivating the imagination of the children at an impressionable age, and moving wholesome emotions in their plastic minds as they listen with eager interest under the spell of delightful stories simply and charmingly read and related.

Miss Greene has no reward for this labor of love, save the evident joy of the children, but may well have the gratitude of the households from which these happy children come.

The library has long since outgrown the limited space allotted to reading and study, and the constantly increasing use for this purpose makes more and more evident the need of enlargement. We therefore repeat the suggestion made in our last report, that this urgent need for additional room, presents an opportunity for some generous donor to earn the grateful appreciation of every patron of the library by providing an extension thereto. This addition could be devoted to the children whose growing use of the library is of utmost educational value in supplementing the work of our schools, and the floor space

now assigned to them would thus provide the additional room required by the adults.

The administration of the library continues under the competent direction of Miss Lillian C. Kerr, assisted by devoted subordinates working together to make it as helpful as possible to the children, and a source of pleasure and profit to the thousands of adults who constantly use it and appreciate its value to the community.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. KYLE, *President*,

FOR THE DIRECTORS.

FOREST WARDEN REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—

I submit the following report for the year 1920. There were thirteen forest fires during the year. Like the previous year, most of the damage was done by one fire and much of the territory burned over was the same as that burned in 1919 on the Whipple and Symington estates. None of the other twelve fires were very large in extent and the locations were where there was little of value to burn. There was a new law passed last year relating to the disposal of brush caused by wood cutting. The law previously in operation required the land cleared of all brush forty feet from any highway, railroad location or land of another person. The new law requires a forty foot space to be cleared of brush, regardless of where located. This law will cause additional expense to this Department but it is believed will be of great assistance in handling fires. The total expenses last year were \$2,249.07, leaving a balance of \$250.93. I recommend an appropriation of \$2,500.00 for 1921.

Respectfully,

IRA C. WARD, *Forest Warden.*

MOTH SUPPRESSION DEPARTMENT.

Dr.	
To Appropriation,	\$7,000 00
Cr.	
By Superintendent,	\$1,149 50
Labor,	2,383 55
Auto and Sprayer expense,	1,124 22
Insecticides,	1,648 67
Hardware and Tools,	228 10
Car fares, teams, etc.,	429 00
Telephone,	30 32
Printing, stationery and postage,	6 00
Balance,	64
	\$7,000 00

During the past year, much spraying has been done, and good results are very noticeable, especially along the road-sides and in public places. The cemeteries in particular, which were in very bad shape last year, are now in fine condition.

There are a few Brown-tail Moths every year, but by careful cutting they are held down, at a small expense. The moth situation as a whole looks very encouraging. I think this department has proved to the cranberry growers who have had help, that the moths can be handled very easily on bogs by spraying at the proper time.

I recommend \$6,000.00 for this department for the coming year.

Respectfully,

A. A. RAYMOND, *Moth Supt.*

TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENT.

Dr.	
To Appropriation,	\$2,500 00

Cr.	
By Superintendent,	\$352 30
Labor,	846 60
Hardware and Tools,	213 74
Teams and Trucks,	178 80
Telephone,	3 81
Insecticides,	787 05
Miscellaneous,	117 56
Balance,	14
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	\$2,500 00

Dr.	
Special Appropriation for New Sprayer,	\$2,000 00

Cr.	
Sprayer and Hose,	\$1,999 00
Balance,	1 00
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	\$2,000 00

Dr.	
Special Appropriation for Planting Shade Trees,	\$1,000 00

Cr.	
Superintendent,	\$156 75
Labor,	280 00
Trees,	482 96
Teams,	45 00
Loam,	35 00
Balance,	29
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	\$1,000 00

A great amount of trimming has been done during the past year, and it was found necessary to remove a number of trees. All trees on the streets were sprayed. The new thirty horse-power sprayer that was purchased was a great success, reaching the tops of the tallest trees very easily, and giving much better results than could be obtained with a low powered machine and climbing.

With the additional appropriation for new trees, we were able to finish out Standish avenue, which was started the previous year. Other trees, consisting of elm, maple, oak, linden and beech were planted in different sections of the town.

I recommend \$2,500.00 be appropriated for the regular work of this department for the coming year; also \$500.00 for planting trees.

Respectfully,

A. A. RAYMOND, *Tree Warden.*

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF SHORES AND FLATS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the following report:

The commercial clam industry has been very prosperous during the past year. More men have been employed than usual and motor trucks have afforded better opportunity for disposing of the clams.

In the past two months business has not been as good here for the reason that buyers procured their clams on the Cape at less cost than they could be bought in Plymouth.

The outlook for the year 1921 does not seem as promising as it has proved in 1920, but small clams are abundant that should be marketable in June or July. I have a record of 23,858 bushels shipped and canned in the past year. This represents more than twenty-five thousand dollars and as the fishing industry and torching has been small, this has given men usually engaged in that work a chance to make a living.

Quite a good many clams have been dug by automobile parties and the local markets have sold more than in previous years.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED HOLMES,

Supervisor of Shores and Flats.

AGAWAM AND HALFWAY POND FISHERIES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We submit the following report of the Plymouth Committee of Agawam and Halfway Pond herring stream:

The privilege for fishing the stream was sold March 29, 1920 for \$11,000.00, this being the highest price ever received, owing to the great demand for herring scales, used in coloring imitation pearls.

At a recent meeting of the joint committee of Plymouth and Wareham, it was decided to sell the stream at an earlier date than in former years, in order to give the purchaser an opportunity to secure a place to care for and store the fish.

The sale of the stream will be this year on March 6th.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED HOLMES,

W. S. GALE,

FRANK HARLOW.

COMMITTEE ON INLAND FISHERIES.

To the Board of Selectmen:—

Gentlemen: The Committee on Inland Fisheries have in the year 1920 in co-operation with the Plymouth Fish and Game Club stocked the following ponds:

7 cans White Perch in Litte Pond.

8 cans Black Bass in Island Pond.

20 cans Trout in Beaver Dam Brook.

We recommend an appropriation of two hundred dollars for 1921.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES S. CLARK,

WARREN S. GALE,

GEOFFREY D. PERRIOR.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—In compliance with the public statutes I herewith submit my report of 1920 as Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Property of the State in the Department.

One brass beam scale and cabinet.

Nickel weights, one each 50-lb., 20-lb., 10-lb., 5-lb., 4-lb., 2-lb., 1-lb., 8-oz., 4-oz., 1-oz., $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz., $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz., $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz., 1-16-oz.

Dry measure, $\frac{1}{2}$ -bushel, 1 peck, one 2-quart, one 1-quart, iron.

Linear measure, one steel tape, one 1-yard measure, brass.

Working Set Belonging to the Town.

Twenty 50-lb. weights, iron; one 25-lb., one 15-lb., one 10-lb., one 5-lb., two 2-lb., one 1-lb., one 8-oz., one 4-oz., one 2-oz., one 1 oz., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz., one $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz., one $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz., nickel weights.

Brass weights, one 4-lb., one 2-lb., one 1-lb., one 8-oz., one 4-oz., one 2-oz., one 1-oz., one $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz., one $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz.

Linear measure, iron.

Dry measure, wood, one 1-bushel, one $\frac{1}{2}$ -bushel, one peck, one $\frac{1}{2}$ -peck, one 2-quart, one 1-quart.

Liquid measure, two 5-gallon, one 3-gallon, one 2-gallon, one 1-gallon, one 2-quart, one 1-quart, one 1-pint, one $\frac{1}{2}$ -pint, tin.

One portable balance with case.

One hanger weight, nickel.

One sealer case with tools.

One hand press seal.

One sealing clamp.

Wire, nickel, paper and aluminum seals, marking acid, record book, steel alphabet, dies and safe.

LEWIS F. SMITH, *Scaler*.

Scales, Etc., Tested.

Scales	Scaled	Adjusted	Not Scaled	Con.
Platform scales over 5,000,	27			1
Platform scales under 5,000,	161			
Counter scales,	105			
Balance scales,	80			
Computing scales, platform,	1			1
Computing hanger scales,	11		3	2
Spring weighing scales,	5			
Prescription scales,	5			
Jeweller scales,	1			
Beam scales,	9			

Weights.

Avoirdupois,	1,376	9	
Apothecary			
Metric			
Troy			
Dry measures,	20		
Liquid measures,	114		
Yard measure,	26		
Oil pumps,	57		
Molasses pumps,	10		
Milk jars inspected			
Ice Cream cartons			
Cranberry barrels			
Sealing Fees,			\$173 14

LEWIS F. SMITH, *Sealer of Weights and Measures.*

BOARD OF HEALTH

The following report of the doings of the Board of Health for the year 1920 is submitted as required by Law:—

Contagious diseases have been unusually prevalent not only in Plymouth but elsewhere throughout the Commonwealth. The influenza epidemic of 1919 being repeated in milder form in February of this year, to be followed by an unusual prevalence of measles, whooping cough and later scarlet fever.

Undoubtedly many non reported cases of whooping cough existed, as in very few cases were physicians called and householders seemed to forget that the Law requires them to report contagious diseases under such circumstances.

Some idea of the work of the Board may be judged from the fact that over fifteen hundred reports of contagious diseases were sent to various authorities through the office of the Secretary, each case being reported to the State Board of Health, State Inspector for the District and in many cases to the School Physician, Superintendent of Schools and the Libraries.

The plumbing inspectors, Mr. M. D. Welsh and A. A. Sampson report a total of permits granted as follows:

Total number of permits,	124
For new houses,	38
For old houses,	84
Inspections and examinations,	138

The last of October Mr. Walton Briggs resigned as Milk Inspector and no successor has yet been appointed. His work was characterized by ability in securing the co-operation of dealers and producers in an effort to afford the Town clean milk. Some one hundred and eighty dairies are under inspection in

Plymouth and adjacent towns, of which thirteen are selling milk in Plymouth.

There has been a total of three hundred and eighty-six cases of contagious diseases reported in the Town during the past year, the following tabulation by months will show the conditions at all parts of the year.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Chicken Pox	1	1											2
Diphtheria	2	2			3		2		7	2		6	24
German Measles													
Opthalmia													
Other Contag. diseases			1				2				1	1	5
Measles			1	1	11	58	23	2			1	2	198
Mumps	1												1
Scarlet Fever				2	2					2	2	17	25
Tuberculosis, pulmonary	2	1	1	2			2		1		1		10
Tuberculosis, other forms			6		2				1	1			10
Typhoid Fever	1		2	1	2	1			1				8
Whooping Cough					2		1			3		9	15
Trachoma				2									2
Lobar Pneumonia	1		3			2							6
Influenza	1	71	5	3									80
Total	9	75	13	17	12	61	30	2	10	8	5	35	386

One case of scarlet fever on the premises of a local milk dealer during the year caused the Board to take immediate steps and stop the sale of milk on this route.

Reimbursement for the loss sustained by this action was made by the Board, the milk product being purchased at regular rates and destroyed, the sum necessary for the purchase being taken from the appropriation.

The ward for the reception of contagious cases at the hospital has been retained by the Board at the cost of two thousand dollars, that sum representing interest on the amount invested by

the hospital in the ward, in lieu of the town building a hospital.

The value of this institution to the Town will not be underestimated if one will consider the advantage it possesses.

The fixed rate of fifteen dollars per week which was first paid by the Board for care of its cases has been raised during the year to eighteen dollars per week.

This was necessary because of the general increase in the cost of living expenses.

The charge of one dollar per call paid to the Physician in attendance on a case, was advanced to three dollars during the latter part of the year. This material increase was due to the refusal on the part of the physicians of the Town to attend cases of contagious diseases at less than regular rates.

The Board will, during the coming year, endeavor to make a more satisfactory arrangement in this item of expense to the Town.

The Dispensary where free examination and treatment has been provided for those suffering from pulmonary weakness, has been maintained throughout the year. To those who have presented themselves for examination and who were found to be infected, every incentive to get well has been offered. A careful examination of the patient has been made each week and a proper record kept.

House conditions have, at such times as were found convenient, been investigated and if found faulty necessary advice and help given for their treatment. Food, medicine, clothing and general supplies have been furnished by the Board on advice from the physician in charge of the work. In all ways the service has been satisfactory to the Board and helpful to the community at large.

A service station for the distribution of State Biological products has been maintained throughout the year at the Cooper Drug Store. Here the many preparations so important in the treatment of disease have been furnished free to physicians who

required them. The fact that this branch of the work has been carried on without expense to the Town seems to call for a vote of thanks on the part of the Board to the people who have so kindly aided them.

Whenever reported, infected animals have been promptly removed and cared for by an agent of the Board.

Numerous instances of the smaller animals found dead in the highway have called for attention from the Board and in such cases prompt removal has been made.

Dead and decomposed fish washed ashore at the beaches, on more than one occasion during the year, have been removed and buried, the expenditure in such cases being proportionate to the time involved.

The Board requests an appropriation of \$12,000.00 to meet the expenses of the coming year, together with the additional sum of \$750.00 to pay for expenses of 1918 and 1920.

In regard to this latter item, we would state that there are at present on hand, bills aggregating \$500.00 of the previous year, and probably about \$100.00 outstanding for which no bills have been rendered.

The Board has also just received a bill for \$140.00 from the City of Fall River for care rendered in 1918 to a Tuberculosis patient whose settlement is a matter of dispute and which the Board, in all probability, will have to pay.

Several of the items included in the appropriation requested for the 1920 balance are disputed by the Board and actual payment hereunder, may be less than the figure indicated.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE H. JACKSON, M. D., *Chairman.*
HERBERT S. MAXWELL,
HARRY R. TALBOT,

Board of Health.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1920.

During the past year the following animals have been slaughtered and examined for food:—

	Pigs	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
January,	71	6	1	
February,	56	9	33	
March,	26	8	5	
April,	38	7	113	
May,	14	9	22	
June,	6	9	20	
July,	4	17	13	
August,		8	6	
September,	6	12	2	
October,	40	21	6	1
November,	54	26	2	2
December,	121	17	1	3
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The following animals were condemned as unfit for food:—
 One pig, March 25, 1920 as suffering from Generalized Tuberculosis; on May 6, 1920, one calf was condemned as under weight; on July 9, 1920, one cow was condemned as she was suffering from Tuberculosis; on October 28, 1920, one pig's head was condemned as tuberculosis was found in the sub-maxillary glands; on December 30, 1920, one pig's head was condemned as glands of the head had tuberculosis; on Febru-

ary 12, 1920, the hind quarters of calf unstamped were found and were seized and condemned.

During the past Summer there has been built a building on Nick Rock Road for a slaughtering-house, it is a much needed improvement, the building is used entirely for slaughtering purposes and has a good cement floor and is well drained.

It however, lacks town water but the owner is in hopes the town will extend water to the building this coming year.

The owner of this slaughtering-house takes the pigs or other animals away from places alive and actually slaughters them at the slaughter-house, which does away with much noise and dirt.

One slaughter-house on South Street is small but is kept clean and does very well, another small slaughter-house, located on Ocean View Avenue, is doing some slaughtering, and is a much better location than where owner formerly slaughtered.

On the whole I think the improvement in conditions for slaughtering in Plymouth is very pleasing to a large majority of the tax-payers.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK H. BRADLEY,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

LIST OF JURORS

Prepared by the Selectmen of Plymouth, Mass., for 1921.

Anderson, Albert S., Manomet, merchant.
Anderson, George F., 23 Standish avenue, overseer.
Ashton, John W., 28 Vernon street, weaver.
Avery, Lester E., Stafford street, farmer.
Axford, William C., 14 Mayflower street, weaver.
Bachelder, John L., 95 Sandwich street, machinist.
Badger, Leon D., 4 Lewis street, painter.
Barnes, Alfred L., 202 Court street, clerk.
Barlow, George F., 2nd, 103 Court street, janitor.
Bartlett, Edwin H., Manomet, steam fitter.
Beauregard, J. Ernest, 5 Alden street, electrician.
Beever, John A., 268 Court street, overseer.
Bennett, Nathaniel B., 2 Fremont street, clerk.
Bennett, Sylvanus S., 7 Highland place, carpenter.
Berg, William J., 42 Court street, clothing.
Beytes, Henry J., 430 Court street, farmer.
Birnstein, Emil C., 221 Summer street, weaver.
Blackmer, Daniel H., Manomet, farmer.
Bliss, Edgar F., 207 Sandwich street, merchant.
Briggs, James A., 10 Lothrop street, percher.
Briggs, Laban B., Jr., Manomet, lobster catcher.
Brown, Daniel G., 80 Sandwich street, machinist.
Brown, Walter H., 7 Holmes terrace, foreman.
Bunker, Guy C., 4 Sever street, foreman.
Burbank, Alfred S., 5 South Green street, merchant.
Burgess, Asa H., 29 Samoset street, clerk.

Burns, Alfred S., 109 Court street, clerk.
Butland, Elmer E., 4 Massasoit street, clerk.
Cappannari, David A., 51 Water street, clerk.
Cate, Norman G., 104 Allerton street, salesman.
Cole, Albert H., 263 Sandwich street, clerk.
Cole, Guy R., 390 Court street, merchant.
Costa, Gedo A., 41 Court street, clerk.
Craig, Charles D., 11 Jefferson street, clerk.
Cushman, Frank H., 31 North street, real estate.
Damon, John H., 258 Court street, master mechanic.
Daniels, Francis P., 115 Court street, roofer.
Dodge, Milo C., 4 Holmes terrace, clerk.
Douglas, Charles E., Jr., 46 Mayflower street, music teacher.
Douglas, George W., Cedarville, cranberry grower.
Dowling, Vincent, 8 Murray street, weaver.
Dupuis, William S., 27 Fremont street, carpenter.
Ellis, Ernest C., Ellisville, carpenter.
Field, Bernard, 151½ Stafford street, manager.
Fletcher, F. Roscoe, 18 Brewster street, clerk.
Freeman, Charles M., 129 Court street, clerk.
Gardner, Clyfton H., Sandwich road, clerk.
Geary, Henry T., 76 Sandwich street, collector.
Goddard, Fred A., 271 Court street, draughtsman.
Godfrey, Charles L., Jr., 234 Court street, salesman.
Goodwin, John J., 43 Davis street, watchman.
Gould, Fred E., 34 Stafford street, cranberry grower.
Gould, Jesse L., 26 South Spooner street, foreman.
Graves, Thomas W., Warren avenue, caretaker.
Gray, George L., 45 Davis street, steward.
Grant, Loomis R., 11 Park avenue, freight clerk.
Grozenger, Adolph G., 16 Chilton street, painter.
Haigh, George F., 152 Court street, designer.
Harlow, Albert T., 208 Sandwich street, carpenter.
Harlow, Frank, 156 Sandwich street, insurance agent.

Hedge, I. Lothrop, 358 Court street, wood dealer.
Helling, George J., 48 Allerton street, tinsmith.
Herrick, John W., Howe's lane, librarian.
Hill, W. Karle, 10 Winter street, clerk.
Holman, Edward F., Cliff street, clerk.
Holmes, Curtis, 5 North Green street, conductor.
Holmes, Knowlton B., 5 Stephens street, bookkeeper.
Holmes, Robert M., 89 Sandwich street, grocer.
Holmes, William B., South Pond, laborer.
Humphrey, Carl P., 102 Allerton street, auto supplies.
Irvine, Oliver S., 20 Lothrop street, designer.
Jenks, Fred A., 13 Vernon street, sales department, P. C. Co.
Jewell, Roscoe A., 5 Chilton street, cordage employee.
Johnson, Horatio W., 4 Fremont street, laborer.
Kelley, Frank C., 372 Court street, foreman.
Kyle, Morton, 8 Lothrop street, clerk.
Lanman, Frank H., 24 Allerton street, janitor.
Lowry, Abraham, 17 Whiting street, painter.
Luther, Nathaniel C. L., 30 Whiting street, machinist.
Mabbett, George E., Warren avenue, woolen manufacturer.
Macomber, William J., 10 High street, burr maker.
Magee, Eugene F., 136 Sandwich street, conductor.
Manter, Walter L., 380 Court street, clerk.
Marshall, Charles P., 219 Court street, welfare man.
Marvelli, Joseph, 299 Court street, weaver.
Morse, Arthur L., 21 Mayflower street, clothier.
Nazro, William E. C., Warren avenue, architect.
Nichols, Albert O., Manomet, farmer.
Nightingale, George W., 10 Mt. Pleasant street, clerk.
Osterdiep, John W., 98 Allerton street, cloth examiner.
Otten, Charles, Jr., 2 Alden street, superintendent Gas Co.
Paulding, Edwin S., 12 Sandwich street, caretaker.
Pearson, Charles S., 11 Chilton street, machinist.
Pierce, Charles H., Riverstreet, fisherman.

- Pierce, William S., 1 South Spooner street, boss spinner.
Pioppi, Joseph, 29 Cherry street, carpenter.
Quartz, Frank, Jr., 156 Court street, grocer.
Ray, Preston, 93 South street, barber.
Raymond, Benjamin F., 23 Mt. Pleasant street, cranberry grower.
Raymond, Charles H., 41 South street, rivet maker.
Read, George R., 129 Summer street, tack maker.
Sampson, Fred A., 71 Sumner street, grocer.
Sampson, George N., 118 Sandwich street, wood worker.
Sampson, Ossian M., 35 High street, tack maker.
Schubert, John C., 17 Robinson street, harness maker.
Sears, Harold P., 240 Sandwich street, clerk.
Sidebotham, James, 35 Oak street, dresser.
Smith, Leslie B., 155 1-2 Sandwich street, chauffeur.
Sproul, William F., 176 Sandwich street, agent.
Stedman, Ellery, 8 Cushman street, clerk.
Stephan, Nicholas, 18 Hamilton street, foreman.
Stevens, Charles T., 8 Stoddard street, florist.
Stockbridge, Herbert A., 7 Lothrop street, manager.
Strong, Warren P., 27 Allerton street, insurance agent.
Sturtevant, Perry L., 14 Jefferson street, weaver.
Sullivan, John E., Emerald street, plumber.
Swan, George, Jr., 404 Court street, cordage employee.
Swanton, James S., 54 Allerton street, carpenter.
Swift, Henry F., River street, painter.
Swift, Robert C., Clifford road, carpenter.
Talbot, Richmond, 35 Mayflower street, cranberry grower.
Thurston, Joseph P., 2 Fremont street, cranberry grower.
Tillson, Ernest S., 341 Court street, bank clerk.
Torgeson, Halvor, 71 Court street, hotel.
Watkins, Alvin M., 49 Allerton street, dresser tender.
Webber, Charles, Jr., 281½ Centennial street, percher.
Whiting, Alton H., 26 Vernon street, clerk.

Whiting, Henry O., 9 Pleasant street, provision dealer.

Whitten, Edward W., 196 Court street, laborer.

Wood, George W., 20 Stafford street, hotel.

Approved February 14, 1921.

WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,

EPHRAIM D. BARTLETT,

D. H. CRAIG,

GEORGE W. BRADFORD,

WILLIAM M. DOUGLASS,

Selectmen of Plymouth.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

To either of the Constables of the Town of Plymouth,
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—

GREETINGS.

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of Plymouth qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Armory in said Plymouth, on Saturday the fifth day of March, 1921, at fifteen minutes before six o'clock in the forenoon, and in said Armory in said Plymouth, on Saturday the twenty-sixth day of March, 1921, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:—

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers. The following officers to be voted for all on one ballot, viz: Five Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one member of a Board of Health for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, two Water Commissioners for three years, one member of a School Committee for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, three Constables, three members of a Committee on Agawam and Halfway Pond Fisheries, Tree Warden, and one Cemetery Commissioner for three years; and to vote by ballot, "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question:—

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?"

The polls for the election of officers and the votes on the foregoing question will be open at the Armory at fifteen minutes before six o'clock in the forenoon on said Saturday the fifth day of March, 1921, and may be closed at three o'clock in the

afternoon. Both of said days will constitute the annual meeting, and this call is issued in accordance with the vote of the Town passed June 5, 1897, as amended March 2, 1903, and April 2, 1904.

Article 3. To hear the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the Town, and act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen or a majority thereof, to borrow during the financial year beginning January 1, 1922, in anticipation of the revenue of said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, giving the notes of the Town therefor, payable within one year from the dates thereof. All debts incurred under the authority of this vote shall be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. To make the necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the Town, and for other purposes, and to raise such sums of money as the Town shall deem expedient.

Article 6. To take such action as the Town may see fit in aid of the Plymouth Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding Five hundred (500) dollars in aid of the Manomet Public Library.

Article 8. To see what appropriation the Town will make for the care and improvement of the various parks and of the Training Green.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars to pay the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, and choose a Town Director as provided in Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1918, and act thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will accept Section 25A of

Chapter forty-one of the General Laws as provided by Chapter fourteen of the Acts of Massachusetts for 1921, entitled "An Act to authorize Assessors in Towns to Appoint Assistant Assessors."

Article 12. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 436 of the Acts of Massachusetts for 1920, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Better Prevention of Fires in the Commonwealth outside of the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District."

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty-one thousand, eight hundred, eighty-nine and 66-100 (51,889.66) dollars to pay the portion assessed to the Town of Plymouth of the cost of construction of the Plymouth County Hospital, under Chapter 286 of the Acts of Massachusetts for 1916, including authorizing the issue of bonds or notes of the Town to an amount necessary therefor.

Article 14. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the observance of the Pilgrim Tercentenary.

Article 15. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding seven thousand (7,000) dollars for constructing and maintaining additional public sanitarries.

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars for sidewalk on the east-erly side of Warren Avenue. (By request).

Article 17. To see if the Town will, as provided in Chapter 254 of the Acts and Resolves of 1920, provide suitable headquarters for Plymouth Post No. 40 of the American Legion for a period of five (5) years, by renting or leasing a building or part of a building, and to appropriate therefor, for the year 1921, the amount of eleven hundred and twenty-five (1,125) dollars. (By request.)

Article 18. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding three thousand (3,000) dollars, the same to be expended on the Stephens Field playground for the construction of an athletic field, and for furnishing equipment, therefor. (By petition.)

Article 19. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars for repairs and changes at the rifle range.

Article 20. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell a small portion, containing approximately five hundred square feet, of the northerly side of the school house lot at Jabez Corner. (By request).

And you are hereby required to serve this warrant in the manner prescribed by a vote of the Town, by posting notices thereof in three public places in the Town, seven days at least before the meeting, one of which postings shall be in Chiltonville, and one in Manomet Ponds, and also by publishing the warrant in the newspapers published in Plymouth and make return thereof with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of February, 1921.

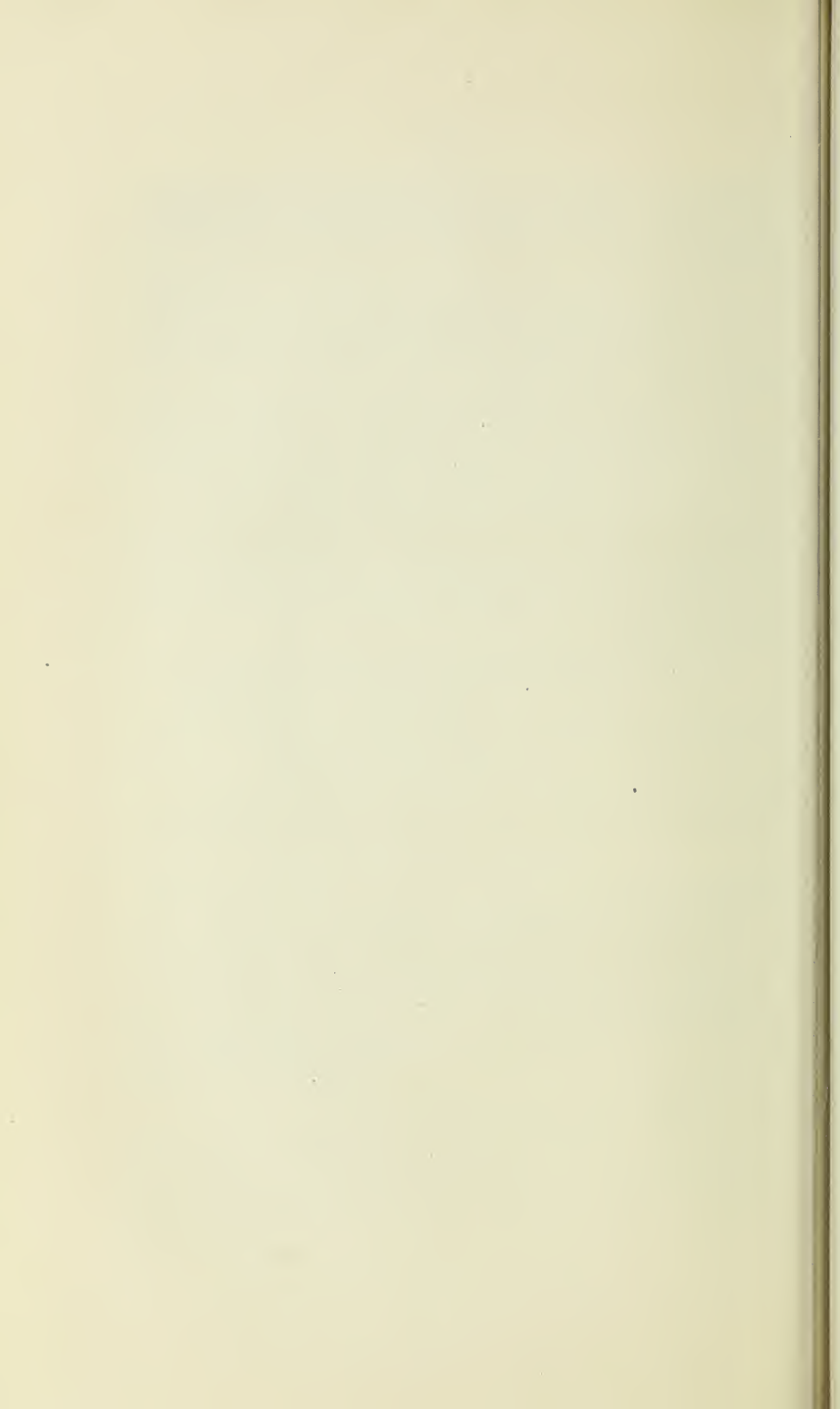
WILLIAM T. ELDRIDGE,
EPHRAIM D. BARTLETT,
DEXTER H. CRAIG,
W. M. DOUGLASS,
GEORGE W. BRADFORD,
Selectmen of Plymouth.

Plymouth, ss.

February 24, 1921

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the Inhabitants of Plymouth, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, are hereby notified to meet at the time and place, and for the purposes therein mentioned.

JOHN ARMSTRONG,
Constable of Plymouth



ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

FIRE COMMISSIONER

OF

PLYMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31

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REPORT OF FIRE COMMISSIONER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

The records of the department accompanying the report cover the routine work of the organization.

The department responded to a fire call from the Town of Carver and did duty with the Chemical Combination. A call from the Town of Kingston was also answered, but no fire duty performed.

A call from Marshfield for the Lungmotor was answered, but too late to be of service as the victim of a drowning accident was reported as dead upon the arrival of the apparatus.

Calls for assistance from the Russell Mills district and from the harbor front were also answered, but in both cases the bodies of the drowned persons were not recovered in time to allow of proper use of the Lungmotor.

During the year a new signal disc has been added to the Universal Fire Alarm Box for the use of the County Farm to be sounded when a prisoner escapes.

This signal alarm, known as Box 13, was sounded twice during the year, and materially assisted the County officials in effecting the arrests of the escaped prisoners.

A great many hydrants suffered damage by accidents from automobile collision, and in cases where it has been impossible to locate the owners of the machines and collect for the expense to put hydrants again in commission, the department has been obliged to care for this added expense.

It will be necessary to purchase a new set of tires for Combination D. This machine responds to all calls and to keep it in

condition for prompt and efficient work and prevent deterioration of its equipment, it is proposed to attach pneumatic tires rather than the solid type as at present.

Attention is also called to the condition of the Pope-Hartford Combination. This machine was the first piece of motor apparatus purchased by the town, and has been in service for seven and one-half years. It may be necessary to thoroughly overhaul the machine some time during the year, in which case it would be an expense not included in the appropriation estimated for the year.

Some repairs to the exterior and interior of the stations will have to be made this year. The labor will be cared for by the men of the Permanent Force, but there will be an expense for the materials.

ORGANIZATION.

Fire Commissioner,	Robert C. Harlow
Chief of Department,	Albert E. Hiller
Deputy Chief of Department,	Clifton B. Hatton

CENTRAL STATION.

Combination B Hose and Pumping Engine.

Captain—Fred W. Paty (*Permanent*)

Lieut.—John M. Holmes (*Call*)

PERMANENT MEN.

E. G. Gardner	P. W. Gardner
C. L. Schreoder	J. Farris
C. T. Shaw	A. Burgess
E. Wood	

CALL FORCE.

L. Battles	L. White
F. H. Donlevy	E. F. Nutter
E. Downton	V. Peterson
W. E. Hurd	F. H. Britton
E. R. Morse	J. Sampson
D. Sullivan	A. A. Raymond
A. E. Nickerson	

Ladder Company No. 1.

Captain—H. F. Robbins (*Permanent*)

Lieut.—L. Hedge (*Call*)

G. J. Anderson	C. H. Hatton
J. E. Beauregard	C. H. Alden
G. C. Bunker	A. Barbieri
R. M. Fogarty	W. Baker

NORTH STATION.

Combination Engine and Ladder Co. No. 2.

Capt.—H. T. Cash	Lieut.—J. Stephen
W. I. Delano	J. Ruprecht
N. W. Gray	R. Thom
E. C. Hardy	H. P. Webber
W. S. Pierce	B. Wolf

HOSE.

The regular inspection and testing of the hose of the department has been made.

To maintain a sufficient equipment it will be necessary to purchase 1000 feet of new hose.

HYDRANTS.

The hydrants under the care of the department have been carefully inspected, and previous to the cold weather were drained for protection from freezing.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

The signal system will require a large amount of work during the coming year. Much of the overhead wire is in bad shape and constant attention is necessary to keep this important branch in condition for effective work.

During the past year about 1 1-2 miles of new overhead wire was put up by members of the Permanent Force.

We have delayed the purchase of material awaiting an expected drop in prices, but further postponement would be unwise, and might result in a serious loss of both life and property, were we without the aid of the signal system.

INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

The necessary inspection of hotels and lodging houses as required by the State Police have been made by the Chief of the Department and reports forwarded to the State House.

There have been 26 Licenses for Garages issued during the year.

FIRE RECORD.

Out of Town,	3	Soot,	23
Thawing water pipes,	1	Rubbish, bonfires,	9
Gas Exploded,	1	Lighting,	2
Gas tank tipped over,	1	Unknown,	2
Electric flatiron,	1	Overheated heater,	1
Set by boys,	10	Overheated stove,	1
Defective flues,	1	Candles,	1
Hot grease,	1	Careless use of matches,	1
Smoking,	2	Meat on stove,	1
Electric wires,	2	Sparks from Steam Roller,	1
Needless and false,	18	Kerosene on stove,	1
Water pipe burst,	1	Alcohol ignited by gas,	1
Automobiles,	4	Oil Stoves,	4
Sparks from chimneys,	3		

HOW EXTINGUISHED.

MONTHS	HOW EXTINGUISHED			
	Pony	Chemical Engine	Pump	No Action
January,	3			1
February,	1	3		
March,	1	4		
April,	5	2		
May,	2	4	1	1
June,		1		2
July,	11	9		5
August,	1	1		
September,	2	3		4
October,	6	7		3
November,	2			
December,	5	3		4
Total,	39	37	1	20

Three (3) Lungmotor calls and one (1) Armistice Day.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1921.

Salaries and Wages—

Permanent Force,	\$19,310 00
Call Force,	2,625 00
Other Employees,	100 00

Total Salaries and Wages,	\$22,035 00
Equipment and Repairs,	2,000 00
Hydrant Service,	500 00
Fuel and Light,	1,100 00
Maintenance Building and Grounds,	400 00
Other Expenses,	250 00

Total, \$26,285 00

A special appropriation to cover the following is requested.

Tires for Combination D,	\$800 00
Batteries for three Machines,	150 00
Searchlights,	50 00

Total, \$1,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT C. HARLOW,

Fire Commissioner.

ALARMS—FIRE LOSSES—INSURANCE. YEAR OF 1920.

MONTHS	ALARMS			VALUES INVOLVED				TOTALS		INSURANCE		
	Still	Bell	Ultimotor	Total	Value of Buildings	Loss on Buildings	Value of Contents	Loss on Contents	Values Involved	Loss on values Involved	Buildings	Contents
JANUARY	4			4	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 32,000.00	\$ 750.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
FEBRUARY	3	1		4								
MARCH	4	1		5								
APRIL	7		1	8	42,200.00	3,139.00	36,900.00	8,321.50	85,100.00	11,460.50	21,300.00	24,600.00
MAY	6	2		8	8,000.00	100.00	2,200.00		10,200.00	100.00	5,000.00	1,200.00
JUNE	2	1		3	9,000.00	35.00	2,800.00		11,800.00	35.00	6,000.00	
JULY	20	5		25								
AUGUST	2		1	3	3,500.00	120.00	2,600.00	35.00	6,100.00	155.00	2,600.00	1,500.00
SEPTEMBER	9			9	8,500.00	227.00	2,350.00	115.00	10,850.00	342.00	3,700.00	500.00
OCTOBER	15	1	1	17								
NOVEMBER	2	1		3								
DECEMBER	10	2		12	65.00	65.00	2,700.00	1,397.20	2,765.00	1,462.20		1,200.00
TOTALS	81	14	3	101	96,265.00	3,836.00	56,550.00	10,468.70	152,815.00	14,304.20	58,600.00	31,000.00

SIXTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Water Commissioners,
Superintendent

AND

Collector of Water Rates

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

1920

WATER COMMISSIONERS

JOHN W. CHURCHILL—Term expires March, 1921.

ROBERT C. HARLOW—Term expires March, 1921.

JOHN H. DAMON—Term expires March, 1922.

EUGENE H. DORR—Term expires March, 1923.

WILLIAM R. MORTON—Term expires March, 1923.

Superintendent—Arthur E. Blackmer.

Water Register—N. Reeves Jackson.

Engineer at Pumping Station—John Bodell.

Assistant Engineer at Pumping Station—Albert E. Caswell.

All applications for water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners.

Superintendent's Office, Town Square, near Town House; telephone, office 532-R, shop 532-W.

Meeting of the Commissioners to examine bills and claims against the department, the first Wednesday evening of each month.

Rates payable at the Town Treasurer's office semi-annually in advance, May 1 and Nov. 1.

Bills against the Department must be rendered on or before the first Wednesday of each month, or they will lie over until the following month.

Approved bills paid by the Town Treasurer at the Town Office.

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners herewith submit their sixty-sixth annual report.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation, maintenance,	\$19,000 00
Appropriation, construction,	8,000 00
Balance from 1919,	581 13
Credits,	228 37
Total,	<hr/> \$27,809 50

EXPENDITURES.

Maintenance,	\$11,438 82
Pumps,	7,060 60
Extension of mains,	2,955 20
Extension of services,	548 80
Meters and setting,	1,015 00
Stock on hand at shop,	172 21
Unexpended balance,	4,618 87
	<hr/> \$27,809 50

MAINTENANCE.

Salaries,	\$3,642 00
Labor,	4,954 12
Auto repairs and maintenance,	463 34
Leaks in main pipes,	314 35
Leaks in service pipes,	265 65
Stationery, stamps and printing,	307 19
Fuel, light and power,	299 93
Telephone,	149 42
Tools bought and repaired,	90 54
Care of reservoir and grounds,	97 00
Care of office and sundries,	136 95
Freight, express and trucking,	91 20
Miscellaneous,	627 13
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	\$11,438 82

PUMPING STATION.

Salaries,	\$2,649 99
Fuel and light,	3,598 72
Heating and lighting Engineer's house,	186 50
Material and supplies,	270 45
Parts and repairs to machinery,	160 85
Repairs to buildings and grounds,	78 00
Freight, express and trucking,	11 69
Insurance,	104 40
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	\$7,060 60

BONDS.

Bond paid on issue, May 1, 1901,	\$1,000 00
Bond paid on issue, July 1, 1903,	666 66
Bond paid on issue, November 15, 1905,	600 00
Bond paid on issue, July 1, 1907,	1,000 00
Bond paid on issue, February 15, 1908,	1,000 00
Bond paid on issue, June 1, 1909,	1,000 00
Total bonds paid,	<u>\$5,266 66</u>

INTEREST.

Interest paid on issue, May 1, 1901,	\$52 50
Interest paid on issue, July 1, 1903,	337 50
Interest paid on issue, November 15, 1905,	126 00
Interest paid on issue, July 1, 1907,	500 00
Interest paid on issue, February 15, 1908,	500 00
Interest paid on issue, June 1, 1909,	52 50
Total interest paid,	<u>\$1,568 50</u>
Bonds,	\$5,266 66
Interest,	<u>1,568 50</u>
	\$6,835 16

The only new construction carried out during the past year consisted of laying 1,847 feet of 6-inch pipe at a cost of \$2,-955.20, on a new street laid out by the Plymouth Cordage Company, west of Standish Avenue.

This work was not anticipated by the Commissioners and no appropriation had been made to cover it.

Deliveries of steel and cement were delayed and one order of

steel necessary to carry out all proposed new work was declined by the company that has furnished us material for the past thirteen years.

Under these conditions your Board thought it was wise to lay the new pipe requested by the Cordage Co., for the supply of new tenements, and to leave until 1921 the relaying of such pipes recommended in last year's report, as seen feasible to the Board, when the season for construction work opens.

A request has been received for an extension of pipe for about 700 feet on Summer Street, to the house now occupied by Oscar Huntly.

The estimated cost of this work will be \$1,200.00 and the Commissioners favor the request for this extension and recommend that a special appropriation of \$1,200.00 be made to cover the cost of this work.

We, also, recommend an appropriation of \$19,000.00 for maintenance, the same as last year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. CHURCHILL, Chairman,

JOHN H. DAMON,

ROBERT C. HARLOW,

WILLIAM R. MORTON,

Water Commissioners.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

Published by Request of the New England Water Works Association.

Plymouth (Mass.) Water Works.

Population (1920 Census), 13,046.

Date of Construction, 1855.

By whom owned. Town.

Source of supply. Great and Little South Ponds.

Mode of supply. Gravity for low service and pumping for high service.

PUMPING.

1. Builders of pumping machinery: Barr & Worthington.
2. Description of fuel used:
 - (a) Kind: Bituminous. Screenings.
 - (b) Brand of coal: Miscellaneous.
 - (c) Average price of coal per gross ton delivered:
Bituminous, \$14.20; Screenings, \$6.00.
 - (e) Wood: None.
3. Coal consumed for the year: Bituminous, 655,145 pounds;
Screenings, 13,750 pounds.
4. Amount of other fuel used: None.
5. Total equivalent coal for the year, 668,895 pounds.
6. Total pumpage for the year: 335,253,000 gallons with
3 per cent. allowance for slip.
7. Average static head, 65 feet.
8. Average dynamic head, 72 feet.
9. Number gallons pumped per pound of coal: Worthington,
352; Barr, 515.
10. Duty of pumps: Worthington, 21,000,000; Barr, 30,000,-
000.

COST OF PUMPING FIGURED ON PUMPING STATION
EXPENSES, VIZ.: \$7,060.60.

11. Per million gallons against dynamic head into direct pipe,
\$21.06.
 12. Per million gallons raised one foot high, (dynamic) \$0.292.
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COST OF PUMPING FIGURED ON TOTAL MAIN-
TENANCE, VIZ.: \$18,499.52.

13. Per million gallons against dynamic head into direct pipe,
\$55.18.
 14. Per million gallons raised one foot high (dynamic), \$0.766.
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STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION OF WATER.

1. Total population to date, 13,046.
 2. Estimated population on pipe line, 12,000.
 3. Estimated population supplied, 12,000.
 4. Total consumption for the year, 519,418,000 gallons.
 5. Passed through meters, 141,431,000 gallons.
 6. Percentage of consumption metered, 27.2 per cent.
 7. Average daily consumption, 1,419,000 gallons.
 8. Gallons per day to each inhabitant, 109.
 9. Gallons per day to each consumer, 118.
 10. Gallons per day to each tap, 515.
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STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM.

1. Kind of pipe used: Cement lined and wrought iron, principally cement lined.
2. Sizes: From 2-inch to 30-inch.

3. Extended: 1,847 feet.
 4. Discontinued: None.
 5. Total now in use, 56 miles, 4,559 feet.
 6. Cost to repair per mile, \$5.51.
 7. Number of leaks per mile, 0.23.
 8. Small distribution pipes, less than 4-inch: 9 miles, 3,495 feet.
 9. Hydrants added, 1. Discontinued, none.
 10. Hydrants now in use: 232 public; 67 private.
 11. Stop gates added, 4. Discontinued, none.
 12. Number now in use, 669.
 13. Small stop gates less than 4-inch, 120.
 14. Number of blow-offs, 42.
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SERVICES.

15. Kinds of pipes: Lead and cement lined.
16. Sizes: From one-half to 4 inches.
17. Extended, 512 feet. Discontinued, 160 feet.
18. Total now in use, seven miles, 4,979 feet.
19. Service taps added, 32. Discontinued, 20.
20. Number now in use, 2,754.
21. Average length of service, 16 feet.
22. Average cost of service, \$17.15.
23. Number of meters added, 70.
24. Now in use, 714.
25. Percentage of services metered, 26 per cent.
26. Percentage of receipts from metered water,
27. Number of motors and elevators added. None.
28. Number now in use, one motor.

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FINANCIAL

MAINTENANCE.

Water rates, domestic,	\$84,567.00	Management and repairs,	\$18,499.42
Water rates, manufacturing,	3,301.33	Interest on bonds,	1,568.50
Water rates, miscellaneous,	1,003.28		
Total water receipts,	<u>\$88,961.61</u>	Total,	<u>\$30,067.92</u>
Miscellaneous,	983.62	Profit for year,	19,277.31
Total,	<u>\$30,345.23</u>	Total,	<u>\$39,345.23</u>
		Paid bonds and notes,	\$5,266.66
		Carried to Construction Acct.,	14,010.65
		Total,	<u>\$19,277.31</u>

CONSTRUCTION.

Profits of maintenance,	\$14,010.65	Extension of mains,	\$2,955.20
		Extension of services,	518.80
		Meters and setting,	1,015.00
		Unexpended balance,	4,618.87
		Stock on hand at shop,	172.21
		Total,	<u>\$9,310.08</u>
		Bonded debt at 3½ per cent.,	\$5,000.00
		" " 3¾ " "	8,666.58
		" " 4 " "	24,000.00
		Total,	<u>\$37,666.58</u>
		\$5,266.66 paid yearly on principal.	

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Gentlemen:—I hereby submit the annual report of the Collector of Water Rates for the year 1920.

Dr.

Arrears,	\$8,064 86	
Water Rates,	40,443 57	
Labor and Material,	359 62	
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Total Collections,	\$39,345 23	
Abatements,	1,293 19	
Uncollected Rates,	8,134 73	
Uncollected Labor and Material,	94 90	
	<hr/>	\$48,868 05

Water is supplied to 2,967 families, 2,366 water closets, 1,125 bath tubs, 520 hose, 70 stables, 337 horses, 185 cows, 225 stores, offices and shops, 5 bakeries, 9 engines, 10 hotels, and boarding houses, 10 halls, 40 urinals, 14 barbers, 14 markets, 4 banks, 12 saloons, 10 churches, 4 cemeteries, 3 hot-houses, 4 laundries, 3 printing offices, 8 manufacturies, 2 billiard rooms, 2 photo saloons, 3 woolen mills, 2 electric plants, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., County buildings, Town buildings, and street sprinkling, gas works.

Yours Respectfully,

N. REEVES JACKSON,

Collector of Water Rates.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Board of Water Commissioners:—

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the custom of this department, I submit herewith the annual report of the Superintendent of the Plymouth Water Works for the year ending December 31st, 1920.

TABLE SHOWING LENGTH, SIZE AND COST OF PIPE
LAID IN 1920.

LOCATION	Length in feet	Size in inches	COST
Forest Avenue Ext.	1,847	6	\$2,955.20
TOTALS	1,847		\$2,955.20

RAIN FALL.

On the following page is given the usual table of rainfall observations for the past thirty-four years.

The annual rainfall for 1920 was 55.69 inches, a record rainfall for Plymouth, which has been exceeded only once during the period these observations have been made, and that was for the year 1898 when 58.40 inches was reported.

It was this rainfall of 55.69 inches last year following a rainfall of 53.20 inches in 1919 that explains the unusual height of

Great and Little South Ponds, as shown on Plate 1 giving pond heights and storage depletion.

The average annual rainfall for the past thirty-four years has been 46.40 inches and the last column in the rainfall table gives the variations of the yearly rainfall from this average for each year since 1887.

TABLE SHOWING SUB-DIVISION OF USE OF
METERED WATER.

For What Use.	Quantity in Gallons.
Domestic,	62,268,000
Manufacturing,	42,315,000
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., and Electric Light,	13,348,000
Hotels and Restaurants,	5,583,000
Laundries,	3,183,000
State, County and Federal Buildings,	1,985,000
Stables and Garages,	1,733,400
Miscellaneous,	11,015,600
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	141,431,000

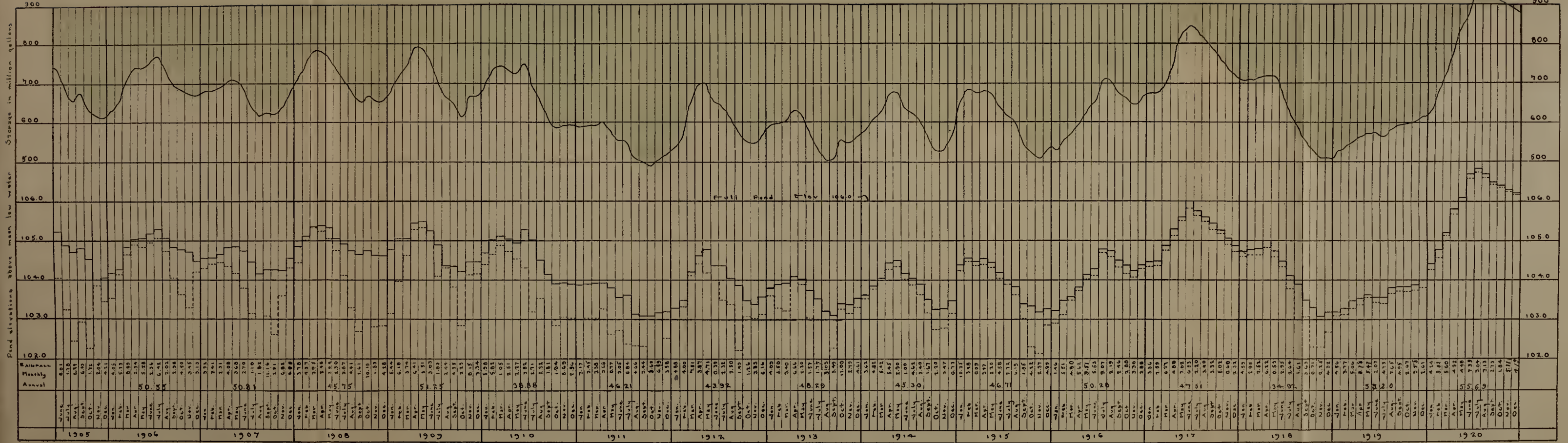
We have now in service, 714 meters of various sizes and the above table shows the subdivision of the use of metered water by various classes of consumers.

Table showing total rainfall since 1887, and monthly rainfall since 1891.
Also annual variation from the average in inches.

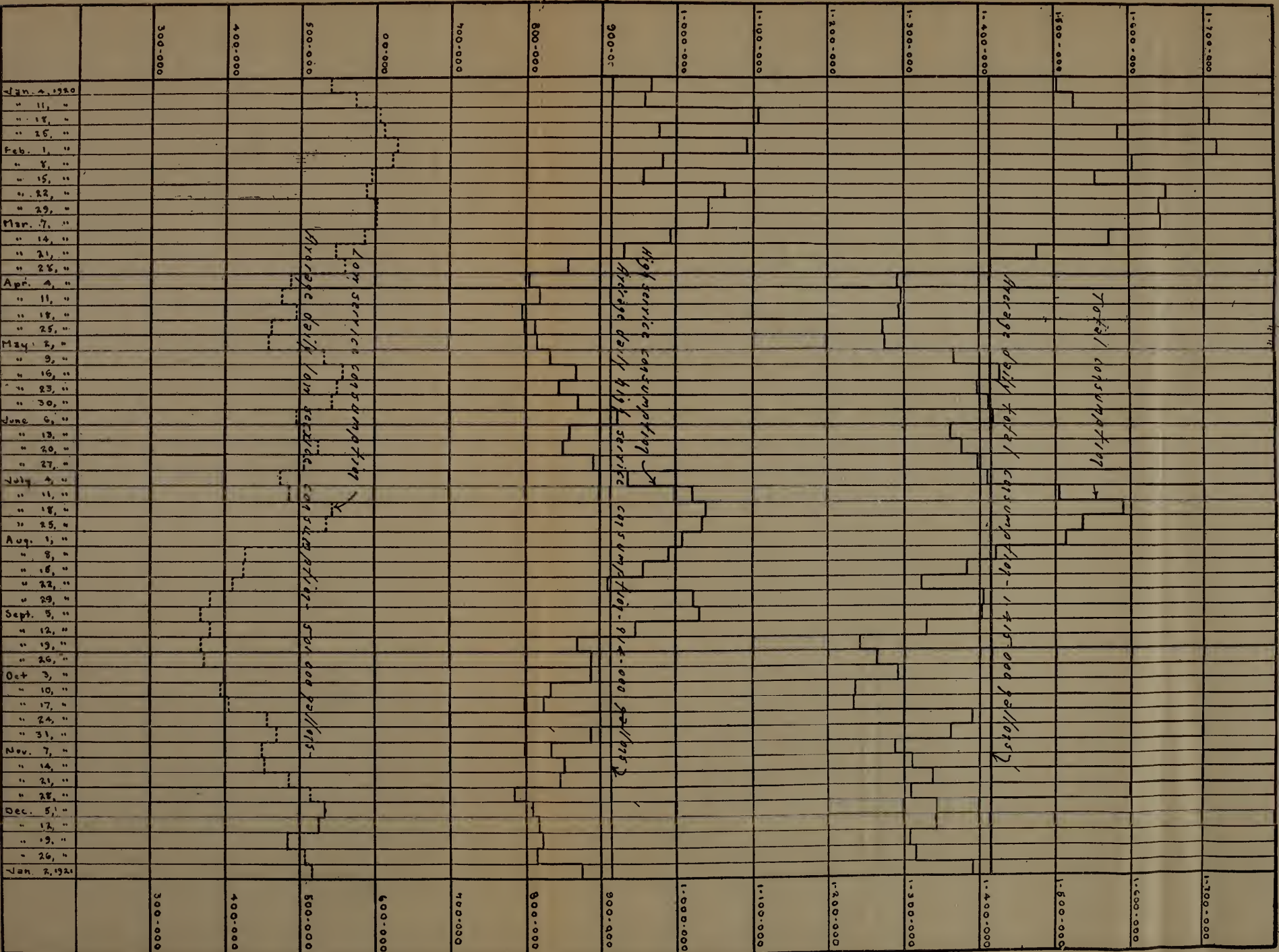
YEAR	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL	Variation from av. in inches
1887													43.14	- 3.26
1888													50.28	3.88
1889													49.14	2.74
1890													51.80	5.40
1891	8.36	5.32	5.04	4.02	1.99	2.23	2.55	1.43	2.23	5.92	1.79	3.77	44.65	- 1.75
1892	2.73	2.72	4.56	1.26	3.91	2.12	1.81	4.16	2.14	2.29	7.12	3.77	37.90	- 8.50
1893	2.88	6.66	6.17	4.45	4.39	2.50	2.71	5.80	1.73	2.19	3.29	5.59	48.33	- 1.08
1894	3.60	4.85	1.56	3.97	4.35	1.54	1.08	0.73	2.37	7.97	4.98	5.78	42.68	- 3.72
1895	3.54	0.87	2.71	4.79	2.73	2.04	3.58	2.05	3.27	6.89	3.95	3.85	40.27	- 6.13
1896	2.75	4.73	5.82	0.88	2.93	3.59	2.27	1.71	5.65	3.60	3.41	1.75	39.09	- 7.31
1897	4.24	2.08	2.31	4.28	3.65	2.99	2.88	2.91	1.42	0.87	6.42	3.27	37.32	- 9.08
1898	2.75	4.04	2.27	5.82	5.65	1.93	6.58	7.33	1.35	8.96	8.48	2.24	58.40	- 12.00
1899	6.52	5.23	6.77	1.18	1.40	3.62	3.79	1.17	6.92	3.03	2.38	1.60	43.51	- 2.89
1900	4.86	5.35	3.62	1.95	5.11	2.29	1.37	3.28	3.10	5.40	5.36	3.15	44.84	- 1.56
1901	2.51	1.70	6.86	7.78	8.54	1.46	4.38	2.25	2.77	5.07	2.59	10.20	53.11	- 6.71
1902	2.22	5.53	7.82	2.98	1.52	3.68	1.80	1.43	3.65	1.72	3.32	6.77	41.53	- 1.87
1903	4.43	5.36	7.94	7.45	0.67	1.51	2.41	5.44	1.45	0.32	3.53	3.98	53.46	- 7.06
1904	5.44	3.61	2.47	9.11	2.23	2.58	4.02	3.32	3.18	1.85	2.04	4.21	40.64	- 5.76
1905	4.50	2.16	2.87	2.32	1.11	8.01	1.78	2.99	6.93	1.72	3.45	3.13	50.55	- 4.15
1906	4.05	5.33	8.69	2.31	5.28	2.36	6.42	2.02	2.98	4.50	6.82	6.90	59.81	- 4.41
1907	3.92	3.41	2.91	4.08	3.68	2.70	1.10	1.82	11.16	10.19	1.53	4.28	45.75	- .65
1908	3.78	4.37	3.05	2.48	2.98	2.30	3.87	4.41	1.61	10.19	8.15	3.34	51.25	- 4.82
1909	5.11	6.18	3.74	6.41	3.51	3.03	1.83	2.44	4.95	2.23	8.15	2.93	38.88	- 7.52
1910	5.08	5.82	1.05	2.51	2.27	3.82	2.71	2.32	1.81	1.94	6.69	3.58	46.21	- 1.10
1911	3.17	3.45	3.38	3.68	0.77	3.05	6.84	4.66	3.41	3.60	6.59	6.16	43.92	- 2.48
1912	4.09	3.30	3.40	6.66	2.30	1.57	1.77	3.03	1.49	1.26	3.83	4.61	18.29	- 1.80
1913	3.62	4.82	5.42	5.45	2.90	1.00	4.62	3.40	3.49	11.08	2.79	6.73	45.30	- 1.10
1914	10.35	3.98	4.80	3.47	2.29	4.58	2.72	6.19	1.55	2.20	3.47	4.99	46.71	- .31
1915	1.46	5.51	4.80	5.02	3.51	5.53	9.07	2.19	2.46	4.22	2.30	3.88	50.28	3.88
1916	3.36	2.59	6.27	4.88	7.02	6.53	2.20	3.40	3.32	5.02	2.88	2.32	47.51	- 1.11
1917	4.59	2.52	2.32	6.22	0.53	2.95	2.64	1.61	3.63	0.71	2.25	4.32	34.92	- 11.48
1918	4.86	3.77	5.06	3.78	5.47	2.07	4.73	7.05	4.75	2.61	5.58	2.61	53.20	- 6.80
1919	4.24	9.02	5.60	4.92	4.48	7.39	3.01	3.13	2.73	1.84	5.11	4.19	55.69	- 8.76
Av.	4.37	4.29	4.42	4.20	3.39	3.15	3.30	3.27	3.32	4.05	4.05	4.20	46.40	

Combined storage of Great and Little South Pond between grade 98.0 and 106.0 855 million gallons

PLATE I



- Consumption in 92/1095-





POND ELEVATIONS AND STORAGE DEPLETION.

Plate 1 shows the monthly fluctuations in elevation, and consequent change in storage volume, of Great and Little South Pond, from June 1905 to Jan. 1, 1921, a period of fifteen and one half years.

It is interesting to note that in July 1920, these ponds reached a higher elevation than at any previous time during which this record has been kept.

Great South Pond attained an elevation of 106.85 and Little South Pond an elevation of 106.75 during that month, with a corresponding total available storage volume in the two ponds, above the intake pipe, of about 955 million gallons.

The storage on Jan. 1, 1920 was 620 million gallons and on Jan. 1, 1921 it was 880 million gallons, an increase during the year of 260 million gallons.

The explanation of these unusually high pond elevations and resulting storage volumes is found in the two successive years of high rainfall, in 1919 and 1920.

The average annual rainfall in Plymouth for the past thirty-four years has been 46.40 inches.

In 1919 the rainfall was 53.20 inches or 6.80 inches above normal and in 1920 it was 55.69 inches or 9.29 inches above normal.

An inspection of the rainfall table printed on another page, shows that no such sequence of years of high rainfall has occurred before since the rainfall records have been kept.

The resulting high ponds are the natural effect of such unusual rainfalls.

SCHEDULE.

Showing number of feet of each size of pipe and number and size of gates, blow-offs and hydrants.

Size in inches	LENGTH OF PIPE IN FEET	No. of Gates	No. of Check Valves	No. of Air Cocks	No. 10 in. B. O.	No. 8 in. B. O.	No. 6 in. B. O.	No. 4 in. B. O.	No. 2 in. B. O.	No. Hydrants
30	80	1								
20	190			1			1			
18	7,424	4		8		1				
16	16,424	12		13	2					3
14	10,352	11	1	9						3
12	11,230	28		6			2	1		15
10	36,034	58		8	1		3			32
8	30,816	76		6						40
6	63,004	177		12				1	2	72
4	73,670	182		7				4	3	58
3	6,629	11						6	7	2
2½	458								2	
2	42,074	98		3						
1½	382	2							5	1
1	1,472	9								
Tot'ls	300,239	669	1	73	3	1	6	12	19	232

CONSUMPTION FOR 1920.

Plate II is similar to the charts published in previous reports showing the average daily consumption on the high service and low service system and the total consumption which is the sum of the two.

The weekly fluctuation is also shown and the effects of the cold weather in January and February are reflected in the large consumption during those months.

A decrease in total consumption amounting to about 400,000 gallons daily between March 7. and April 4, indicates clearly that water to that amount was wasted in order to keep fictures from freezing.

The average daily low service consumption was 501,000 gallons in 1920 compared to 548,000 gallons in 1919, a reduction of 8.5 per cent.

The average daily high service consumption was 914,000 gallons in 1920 compared to 782,000 gallons in 1919, an increase of 17 per cent. and the total daily consumption was 1,415,000 gallons in 1920 compared to 1,330,000 gallons in 1919, an increase of 6 per cent.

The average daily high service consumption is 64 per cent. and the average daily low service consumption is 36 per cent. of the total average daily low service consumption.

In accordance with their usual custom the State Department of Health have made their regular analysis of water during the year 1920 and a copy of these analysis is given on the following page.

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR E. BLACKMER, *Superintendent.*

PUMPING RECORDS, 1920

The pumping station records shown on this page give in detail the amount of water pumped, fuel used, etc., at the pumping station during the year 1920

MONTHS	Hours run:	Total lbs. fuel used	Gravity	Pumping	Average Gravity	Daily pumping	Rain in inches	Average temperature		Daily average fuel pounds
								Max.	Min.	
January . . .	307 1/2	65,640	18,515.000	32,314.000	597.000	1,043.000	4.74	30.7	16.5	2117
February . . .	341 1/4	57,875	17,480.000	29,599.000	602.000	1,021.000	9.02	37	21.52	1995
March . . .	341 1/4	61,490	17,500.000	29,228.000	567.000	943.000	5.60	48	30.18	1989
April . . .	28 1/4	52,455	14,683.600	24,242.000	489.000	808.000	4.32	34.8	38.8	1748
May . . .	301 1/4	51,255	16,621.000	26,338.000	536.000	851.000	4.48	64.15	47	1653
June . . .	300 1/2	50,520	15,496.000	26,661.000	516.000	888.000	7.39	76.51	59.63	1684
July . . .	348 1/4	56,310	13,892.000	31,234.000	536.000	1,010.000	3.04	84.67	66	1836
August . . .	339 1/4	55,005	12,785.000	30,291.000	412.000	977.000	3.13	88	70	1793
September . . .	314	55,405	11,355.000	27,053.000	377.000	922.000	2.73	75.9	59.6	1846
October . . .	304 1/4	52,590	13,318.000	26,496.000	429.000	899.000	1.84	71	52	1693
November . . .	2 2 1/2	52,195	11,484.000	24,420.000	482.000	831.000	5.11	51.43	39	1739
December . . .	309	57,105	16,006.000	25,695.000	516.000	829.000	4.19	44	32	1876
	3,843 3/4	668,895	184,165.000	335,253.000 *			55.69			

	Hours run	Total lbs. Fuel used	No. gals. pumped	Av. No. gals. to 1 lb. coal	Average duty for year
New pump . . .	3842 1/4	668,895	335,253.000	515	30,000.000
Old pump . . .	1	200	70,500	352	21,000.000

3% allowed for slip

WATER ANALYSIS, 1920.

No.	DATE OF COLLECTION	APPEARANCE			RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION				AMMONIA				NITRO-GEN AS		OXYGEN CONSUMED	HARDNESS	Iron	NAME OF POND
		TURBID-ITY	SEDI-MENT	COLOR	TOTAL	LOSS ON IGNITION	FIXED	FREE	TOTAL	IN SOLUTION	IN SUSPENSION	CHLORINE	Nitrates	Nitrites				
151394	1920 Apr. 8	V. Slight	V. Slight	.02	2.90	1.00	1.90	.0006	.0124	.0104	.0020	.54	.....	.....	..	0.6	.010	Little South
151395	Apr. 8	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	2.30	0.60	1.70	.0004	.158	.0138	.0020	.60	.....	.....	..	0.6	.035	Great South
152200	May 25	V. Slight	None	.00	2.70	1.05	1.65	.0100	.0130	.0096	.0034	.64	.....	.....	..	0.3	.010	Great South
152201	May 25	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	2.75	1.10	1.65	.0124	.0130	.0104	.0026	.58	.....	.....	..	0.5	.010	Little South
153324	Aug. 3	None	V. Slight	.00	2.85	1.35	1.50	.0008	.0096	.0078	.0018	.62	.....	.....	..	0.5	.025	Great South
153335	Aug. 3	None	V. Slight	.00	2.85	1.05	1.80	.0010	.0158	.0128	.0020	.60	.....	.....	..	0.5	.010	Little South
154655	Oct. 13	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	3.00	1.35	1.65	.0012	.0151	.0130	.0024	.66	.....	..	...	0.3	.008	Great South
154656	Oct. 13	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	3.40	1.10	2.30	.0008	.0134	.0118	.0016	.64	.....	.....	..	0.3	.010	Little South
155731	Dec. 8	V. Slight	V. Slight	.00	3.05	1.00	2.05	.0014	.0122	.0108	.0014	.81	0.2	.010	Great South



ANNUAL REPORT

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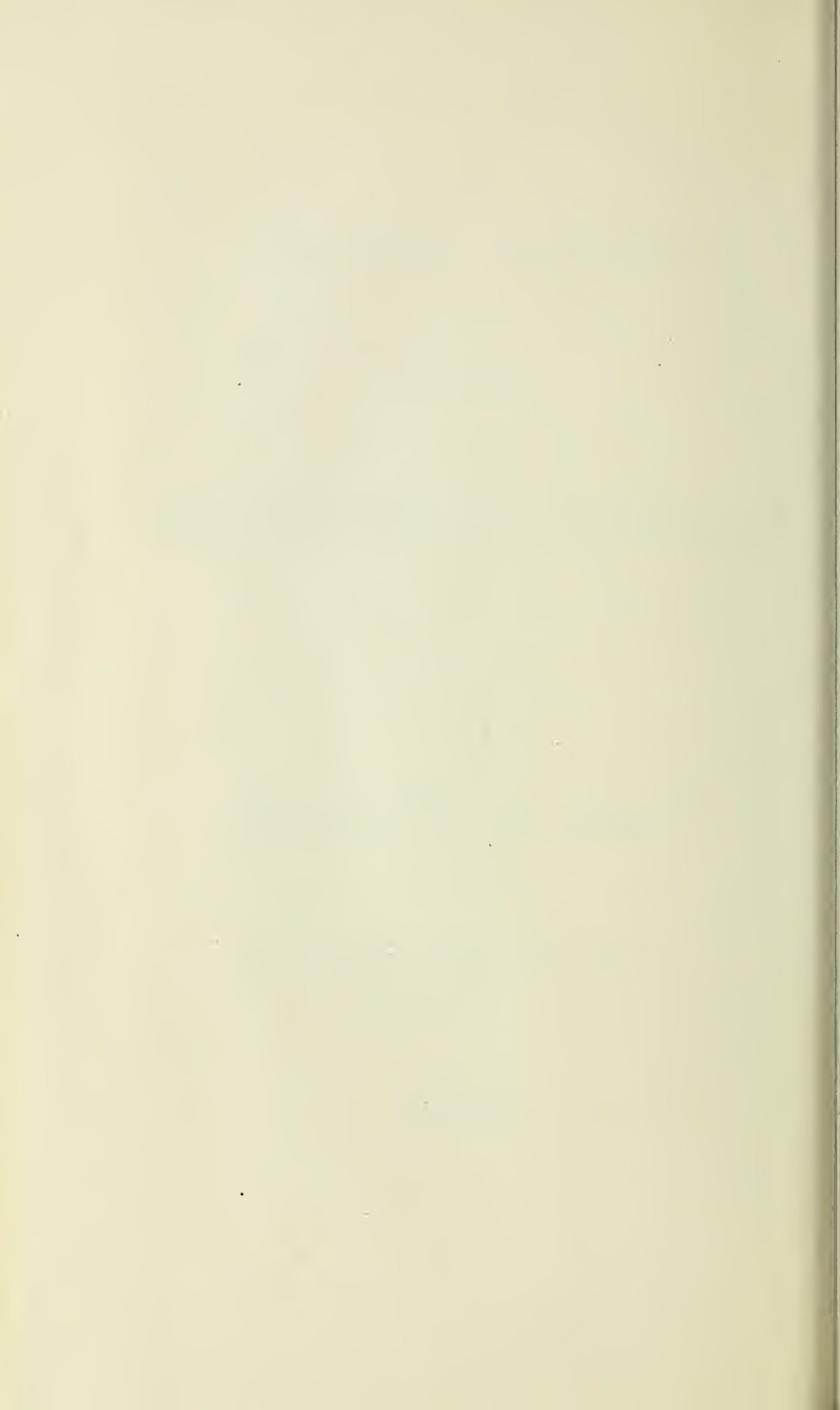
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

Town of Plymouth

For the Year Ending December 31

1920



SCHOOL DIRECTORY

	Term Expires
Edward W. Bradford, Chairman,	1922
Helen F. Pierce, M. D., Secretary,	1921
Frederick D. Bartlett,	1923

The regular meetings of the School Board are held on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Superintendent of Schools, Charles A. Harris.

Office open from 8.30 to 12 a. m., and 1.30 to 4 p. m., every school day. Saturdays, 10 to 12 a. m. 7 to 7.30 p. m. every Wednesday.

Office hours of the Superintendent of Schools, 3 to 4 p. m., Mondays and Fridays.

Attendance Officer, John Armstrong.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL.

2—2 sounded and repeated at 7.15 indicates no session at the Senior and Junior High Schools.

2—2 sounded and repeated at 8.15 indicates no morning session in other schools.

2—2 sounded and repeated at 1 p. m. indicates no afternoon session.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriated March, 1920,	\$172,710.00	
Appropriated December, 1920,	7,000.00	
Murdock Fund,	18.47	
	<hr/>	\$179,728.47

PAYMENTS.

General Expenses,	\$2,889.02	
Teachers' Salaries,	116,751.37	
Text Books and Supplies,	7,408.29	
Transportation,	6,160.35	
Janitors' Services,	9,924.18	
Fuel,	11,722.13	
Repairs,	11,476.60	
Equipment,	1,246.61	
Portable School House,	4,925.00	
Medical Inspection,	4,617.13	
Miscellaneous,	2,602.83	
	<hr/>	\$179,723.51
Unexpended Balance,		<hr/> \$4.96

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Plymouth, Mass., Feb. 24, 1921.

We herewith present our annual report together with financial statement for 1920 and budget for 1921.

In common with nearly all other communities, we find it necessary to increase the salaries of our teachers, to enable us to hold our efficient teachers and keep up the standard of our schools.

During the past year, two Americanization Schools have been established, one at Harris Hall in cooperation with the Plymouth Cordage Co., and the other at the Knapp School. Both of these schools have been very successful, and it is highly probable that similar schools will be found necessary in the near future at several of the other manufacturing plants of the town.

At the opening of the Fall term, an overcrowded condition was found at the Hedge and Knapp schools. In October, a two-room portable was purchased and erected in the rear of the Knapp School, and has proven to be a very satisfactory building.

For several years the Committee has reported on conditions in the north part of the town, and we feel that the construction of another building in this section, cannot be postponed very much longer.

Your attention is called to the reports of the Superintendent of Schools and the School Physician, for both of which we ask your careful consideration.

EDWARD W. BRADFORD,

HELEN F. PIERCE,

FREDERICK D. BARTLETT.

PLYMOUTH SCHOOL DEPT. BUDGET FOR 1921.

General Expenses—

Superintendent,	\$3,600.00	
Clerk,	1,200.00	
Truant Officer,	300.00	
Printing, Postage, etc.,	400.00	
Telephone,	60.00	
Traveling Expense,	300.00	
Automobile Expense,	600.00	
Freight and Express,	300.00	
School Census,	125.00	
All Other,	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,185.00

Teachers' Salaries—

Day,	\$133,000.00	
Evening,	1,500.00	
Summer,	450.00	
Americanization,	1,500.00	
Practical Arts,	700.00	
	<hr/>	\$137,150.00

Text Books and Supplies—

Text and Reference Books,	\$3,000.00	
Paper, blank books, etc.,	3,000.00	
Industrial Training Supplies,	500.00	
Domestic Science Supplies,	1,500.00	
Typewriters,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$8,500.00

Transportation—

Carfares,	\$3,500.00	
Carriages and autos,	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,000.00

Support of Truants,

\$50.00

Janitors' Services—

Day,	\$9,775.00	
Evening,	225.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00

Fuel and Light—		
Coal and Wood,	\$14,000.00	
Gas and Electricity,	650.00	
	<hr/>	\$14,650.00
Maintenance—		
Painting,	\$1,000.00	
General Repairs,	2,000.00	
Flags and Flagstaffs,	100.00	
Janitors' Supplies,	1,500.00	
Telephones,	200.00	
Ashes removed, etc.,	500.00	
All Other,	3,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$8,300.00
Furniture and Furnishings,		1,000.00
Diplomas and Graduation,		200.00
Tuition (other towns),		300.00
Medical Inspection—		
School Physician,	\$700.00	
School Nurse,	1,300.00	
Supplies and Expenses,	350.00	
Dental Clinic, maintenance,	500.00	
Dental Nurse,	1,200.00	
Dentist,	500.00	
Auto Expenses (School Nurse)	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,150.00
Miscellaneous—		
Auto Expense (Agr. Instructor),	\$1,000.00	
Tercentenary Entertainment,	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,000.00
		<hr/>
		\$200,485.00

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee of Plymouth:—

I herewith submit for your consideration my eighth annual report.

The school year 1920-1921 began, as do all school years, with changes in the teaching staff. Mr. Walton E. Briggs, who had served as sub-master in our High School for a period of nine years, relinquished his position at the close of the last school year. The town has lost in Mr. Briggs a superior citizen, and the School an excellent disciplinarian and an efficient teacher. His influence in a larger field will certainly be felt.

Four other High School teachers resigned at the close of the year, three accepting more remunerative positions, and one withdrawing from service. It was most difficult to replace these efficient teachers. To avoid an exodus at the close of this school year the salaries should be considerably increased.

THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION AND THE FUTILITY OF THE PRESENT COURSE OF STUDIES.

Upon a child's entrance to school we almost invariably place him in the first grade, that is, we put those children who are approximately six years of age together. The classification would have as sensible a basis should we classify them by wealth of family, by social position, by Pilgrim ancestry, by political adherence of parents, by religious faith of home, by weight, by statue or by some other arbitrary standard.

The fact that a child is six years of age or thereabouts is no evidence that he can pursue the work of the first grade with profit. The fact that he is six years of age should not bar him from taking up work in a higher grade. His classification does not depend so much upon his kindergarten training or special tutoring, as upon the mental ability with which he is endowed.

The admission of children to the public school merely because they have had, or soon will have, a sixth birthday is a regulation so indefensible that everyone concerned in retaining such a rule, which is well-nigh universal, ought to right-about-face and insist that hereafter children be admitted to school on mental age alone. So long as boys and girls are admitted to school on the basis of chronology instead of psychology we are tacitly admitting that we are misfits for our educational tasks.

The school population of the entire town, the entire State or of the entire country may be classified as regards mentality, as follows:—A. The normal child. B. The abnormal child. The second main division (B) may be subdivided into 1, The supernormal child and 2, The subnormal child. The last mentioned class (2) may be further subdivided into a, The backward child and b, The feeble-minded child. The last group (b) may be still further subdivided into the idiot, imbecile and the moron types. Moreover each of these last three types may be separated according to mentality into three classes. The moron usually is the lowest type intellectually for whom we have to plan, although the high grade imbecile is found in school. The idiot and low-grade imbecile although found in the child population are rarities in the school population.

All children, in fact, all human beings, may be found somewhere in the classification above. They differ much in mental traits. To be sure most of them are normal. The attribute of normality, however, is nothing of which to boast since it means simply that we are like the majority of the human species—in other words have merely average ability. The fact that human institutions are so defective can be explained by the additional

fact that they are managed by average individuals. That between seventy and eighty per cent. of the population of the United States have an intelligence which is average or less is firmly established.

Mentality, inferior to the normal, has its lowest type in the idiot, and mentality superior to the normal has its highest type in the genius. The first is said to be retarded, the second accelerated.

The courses of studies in the public schools are fitted, that is, they are said to be fitted, for the normal child. The courses are ill-fitted or worse than that for both the retardates and the accelerates.

For years we have endeavored to make all children normal by the employment of various agencies—the school physician, the school nurse, the Batavia system, extra teachers, semi-annual promotions, high and low grades, and so forth, but to little avail. We have discovered at last that the attempt to make all persons normal is futile. The psychologist has come to the rescue and has correctly diagnosed the disease as acute mental indigestion. What we should do now with the utmost speed is to see that these different mental types are fed digestible mental food.

It would be helpful could parents everywhere keep in mind the fact that all children are not ultra-bright or even normal—that children who do fairly satisfactory work in the lower grades may not possess the mental power commensurate with the work as they advance—that their children come somewhere under the above classification and that the hope that they come under the most brilliant heading is often forlorn. Parental affection, however, precludes the possibility of unbiased judgment.

On the other hand it would be well for school officials to keep in mind that this problem will always be with us, and that without further procrastination we ought to provide for all pupils the instruction that will be of decided advantage. This means more equipment, additional school accommodations, a

greater number of teachers with special training, all preceded by an increased appropriation.

If the exact brain power—general intelligence—or even the approximate brain-power can be ascertained, the proper classification of the children of the public schools has been well-nigh solved. In the final analysis the entire solution rests upon the degree of progressiveness of school boards of the future coupled with the financial backing of the people in general, provided, of course, that educational experts take the initiative.

A school system that is at all progressive will hereafter classify its population on mental age modified by existing circumstances.

Fortunate we are, thanks to Binet, that we have ample means to determine with surprising accuracy the degree of general intelligence with which an individual is endowed. By the use of the Stanford Revision of the Binet-Simon Intelligence Scale, pupils in the public schools can be almost unerringly classified. By these standardized tests, is determined Mental Age, which is merely the general brain power of the normal person of corresponding chronological age. For a person to deny the validity of mental tests—to deny that intelligence can be measured—is to place himself in the position of assuming the burden of proof. The ascertainment of mental levels has long since passed beyond the theory status.

With the test given and the mental age determined, the classification is announced—not as a piece of guesswork nor even a careful estimate—but as a scientific fact. These individual tests however, need be given only in extreme cases, the classification being determined ordinarily by the results of group tests.

The problem is not at all solved as soon as classification according to mental age has been made, for the chronological age must be taken into consideration in determining whether a child is inferior or superior in general intelligence to the normal child. The ratio of mental age to chronological age, possibly

corrected by the anatomical age, determines the Intelligence Quotient—a fairly constant quantity—which is the index of brightness or dullness. Just as the use of scales determines which one of two persons is heavier or lighter, just so is the Intelligence Quotient evidence of the relative mental ability of the same individuals. The Intelligence Quotient of a normal person is approximately 100. A child of eight years chronological age and six years mental age has an intelligence quotient of 75 which places the child just a little better than feeble-minded. A child with a mental age of eight years and a chronological age of six years has an intelligence quotient of 133 which places the child in the very superior class.

With the mental age and the intelligence quotient ascertained we are then ready to classify our school population on a scientific basis. Intelligence in a normal child develops from birth to about fifteen years of age. Beyond this age there is rarely any appreciable development.

The great problem, which few school systems have yet solved, is to give the right kind of instruction to those children whose development stops before the age of fifteen, and also to give appropriate instruction to those whose mentality exceeds the average child.

This innate potentiality for mental development differs in children more than any other growth. Its obscurity to the inexperienced makes it difficult to become a popular belief. The school authorities have an easy problem to solve, if once it is attacked.

In brief a school system that does not look out for the future welfare of the individual child, first by ascertaining the Mental Age and the Intelligence Quotient making it thus possible to classify him properly, and secondly by providing appropriate instruction for each type of child, will soon find itself in a state of retrogression.

SCHOOL GRADE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Total
CHRONOLOGICAL AGE														
6	159	1												160
7	118	100	9											227
8	42	142	83	6										273
9	10	75	93	54	10									242
10	6	20	50	56	59	7								198
11	4	10	45	54	66	83	9							271
12		6	9	32	55	70	61	22	1	1				257
13			7	7	26	34	58	59	8	13	2			214
14			5	6	9	37	54	39	16	34	13			213
15			2	1	7	27	19	14	18	38	30	15	2	173
16	1		1			3	3	12	7	16	20	25	15	103
17										5	5	13	25	48
18										1	2	10	21	34
19												3	2	5
Total	340	354	304	216	232	261	204	146	50	103	72	66	65	2418

Throughout this country of every 100 boys and girls who enter the first grade only thirteen per cent. continue to high school graduation, less than seventy-five per cent. reach the sixth grade.

By the above table, applicable to the school population of Plymouth, we can readily see that there is an almost constant diminution in numbers from grade one to grade thirteen. This condition has been general and is now general. Notice, to be sure, has been taken of it, and much printed about it, yet this falling off in attendance in the upper grades is still such a problem that it demands concentrated attention.

By the above table we can readily see that there are in the first grade 340 little boys and girls, each, in the eyes of some one, the pivot on which the earth rotates. Only a few of these, as may be gleaned from the above table, will be graduated from our high school. The question of parents to consider is whether their children are running the risk of dropping out of school before the completion of a high school education which should be the minimum requirement of every normal child in Massachusetts.

This dropping out of school—this school mortality—depends upon many factors, but the chief reason is the lack of mental calibre of those attending our educational institutions.

By this is meant the lack of mental calibre for the work—the courses of studies which we offer. In many cases we are offering mental food which is revolting. This ends in a veritable hunger-strike, and school mortality ensues. Had these children been given the proper nurture their education would unquestionably have been greatly extended.

We have in the Plymouth High School today nothing of manual training for boys. Mere book-work for all. This condition ought to be resented by the majority of the townspeople, so that as a resultant an appropriation sufficient to equip and maintain an up-to-date department for those who delight in motor activity will be made.

The kind of education now given in the Plymouth High School should be maintained for many pupils; an entirely different kind should be introduced for many others.

The per cent. of enrollment of our Senior High School compared with the school population is decidedly low. We are maintaining at a great expense, a school for a few—a class school. This school, the maintenance of which is costly, supported by all tax payers, is being maintained for the few instead of the many. It will exist for the many only when courses for the many are introduced.

Many of the boys and girls in our Junior High School will complete their education so far as the town can offer it, in this building. The practical types of work offered here should be extended. Marked improvements suited to the different types of children should be made in the elementary schools as well.

This will most assuredly cost more but the alternative is mortality in the school population.

Group tests of mentality have been given in Junior and Senior High Schools and in the elementary school from grades four to grade six inclusive. We have at hand a basis for better classifica-

tion—and the interest shown by the principals is indicative of vast improvement as time goes on. Should the pupil show by these group tests a mentality far below or far above normal, an individual test—Stanford Revision of the Binet-Simon scale is given.

Re-classification based on the results of group tests has already been made in one of the larger school buildings, and data on the experiment will later be forthcoming.

THE COST OF EDUCATION AND THE OWNERSHIP OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

This country is spending for public school education more than ten times the sum spent a half century ago, notwithstanding the fact that the population has increased only about three-fold. Many communities have done better than this. Plymouth has increased its appropriation for schools tenfold since 1881.

As satisfactory as are the schools to many, improvements must be made if democracy is to be safe for the world. The voters have ever responded to the call for increased appropriations. They are the ones who in the final analysis, are to determine the quality of the educational system of Plymouth. The teachers, the superintendent, the school board, the finance committee are merely temporary officials to carry out the wishes of the people. (But the people after all are but transitory custodians of an institution which is imperishable.) The people decide how well or how poorly they care to equip the on-coming generation for the ever-increasing perplexing questions of life.

It is the function of school officials to present to the people the various ways of improving the educational system, and the privilege of the voters to adopt or reject the different proposals. Only in such a way can suitable democratic progress be made.

Many questions of vital interest should be brought before the

voters, such as policies of transportation; the retention of efficient teachers; the establishments of continuation schools; the adoption of some form of manual training in our secondary school; the extension of manual training in our elementary schools; the erection of a school gymnasium; the appointment of a physical director, a primary supervisor, a penmanship supervisor; the erection of a large school building in the north part of the town for elementary and Junior High School work, thus eliminating all transportation; the payment of High School as well as elementary school transportation; the urgent need of increasing salaries; the extension of Americanization; the maintenance of public kindergartens; the adoption of the longer school day and the longer school year; the improvement of our summer schools; the establishment of an evening high school, and many other items which could be enumerated.

The condition of the schools and the needs of the schools should be from time to time set before the people whose decision should be final.

The efficiency of schools generally is not being maintained. The prime reason is the inadequate salaries paid to the teachers. The fact that schools are being "kept" and children are in school cannot be accepted as equivalent to satisfactory schooling for the future generation. The years in school for the majority are few. These too-few years should be filled with the best that Plymouth can give. The preparation of those who come after us is, or should be, the prime object of our existence.

With due regard to economy, the greater the appropriation, the better the schools and the better the schools the better the next generation.

The fact that some schools are decidedly rural and others have only a few pupils is no reason whatever for putting over these pupils anyone but a competent teacher. The cost per pupil, to be sure, will be great, but these pupils have as much right to have the advantages of an education equivalent to those in the center, as they have to enjoy the same sun that illuminates

THE APPROPRIATION PIE.



(From Labor, December 11, 1920)

UNITED STATES APPROPRIATIONS, 1920.

I.	Past Wars,	\$3,855,482,586	68 p.c.
II.	Future Wars,	1,424,138,677	25 p.c.
III.	Civil Department,	181,087,225	3 p.c.
IV.	Public Works,	168,203,557	3 p.c.
V.	Education and Science,	57,093,661	1 p.c.
Total,		\$5,686,005,706	100 p.c.

(Analysis by Dr. Edward B. Rosa of the United States Bureau of Standards)

the earth. When will these things be? Only when the citizens decide that they want them—want every child to be treated alike—to have all children given an equal start in life. The whole town must be considered as the unit and not the district. Were these questions to be put before the voters, there would be a spontaneous affirmative response. Although the cost of education has been soaring for a number of years, consolation cannot be had in the dream that the apex has been reached. On the contrary the public schools everywhere are to cost much more than at present. That municipalities cannot afford more is a startling untruth. In times of war nations spend their all and then ask for loans for self-preservation. In times of peace—now—the position is as critical—we must spend our all and more if necessity requires for national preservation. Thrift should at all times be inculcated in the minds of people, but thrift at the expense of education is suicidal. Everyone who opposes the extension of education should be held responsible for future unpatriotic demeanor on the part of the people in general, and its consequent. National stability depends more on education in its broad sense than upon any other single factor.

AMERICA'S GIFT TO FRANCE.

In March, 1920, the following letter was received by the local Department of Education:—

“Governor Calvin A. Coolidge has accepted the honorary chairmanship of the Massachusetts State Committee for ‘America’s Gift to France.’

‘America’s Gift to France’ will be a colossal statue by Frederick MacMonnies, the distinguished American sculptor, to commemorate the first Battle of the Marne, September 6, 1914. The final design of the monument has not been determined.

It will cost \$250,000 to erect the memorial, and March 22-27

a collection—a free-will offering—will be taken up throughout the country.

The National Committee in charge of the project includes Thomas M. Lamont, of J. P. Morgan & Co., chairman; Cardinal Gibbons, General Pershing and John H. Finley, and other well known Americans.

The statue will be placed in the town of Meaux on the Marne, the high-water mark of the Great German advance of 1914. The site will be selected by Marshal Joffre and Marshal Foch, both of whom fought in the Battle, Marshal Joffre commanding.”

The children of the Plymouth schools contributed the sum of \$121.88.

THE NEW SCHOOL BUILDING.

The long-talked of school building is still a necessity. The school population this year exceeds that of last year by more than one hundred. The excessive cost of building a school-house in times of peace should not be a barrier for its construction any more than the exorbitant cost of warfare should be a deterrent for carrying on a campaign with the enemy in times of war.

Education is not a luxury but a necessity. Procrastination is a tax on education.

AMERICANIZATION.

Adult classes in Americanization were opened at the Knapp school building on Nov. 12, 1919, the session continuing for a period of nineteen weeks, closing on April 15th, 1920. This

department began with an enrollment of nineteen men ranging in ages from 21 to 41. This enrollment was gradually increased to thirty-one. The majority of these men upon entering school were unable to read or write in any language.

In March, 1920, the School Committee asked for \$1,500 for Americanization. The sum was appropriated at the regular town meeting and the work has been continued.

On Tuesday, October 26th, classes in Americanization, under the supervision of the school department, were opened at the Plymouth Cordage Company's plant. These classes with an initial enrollment of more than ninety men, taught by seven teachers, assemble at Harris Hall immediately after the work of the day and continue in session from five to six o'clock.

The zeal manifested by the men is exceedingly praiseworthy; the enthusiasm exhibited by the teachers unusually patent; the interest shown by the plant's representatives extremely sympathetic.

As a whole the experiment has been decidedly successful.

Classes in Americanization were opened at the Knapp school building on Nov. 4th with Miss Mary Pimental and Miss Helen Annis as teachers. These classes have continued with excellent attendance. Forty-five men over twenty-one years of age have been enrolled.

Two Home classes for women have been maintained. Miss Pimental, giving instruction at her home to a group of Portuguese ladies eager to learn the English language, and Miss Ortolani giving instruction at her home to a group of Italian ladies.

This work in Americanization will inevitably be far-reaching. The appropriation for this work ought to be considerably increased.

EVENING SCHOOL.

The record of the evening schools from October 18, 1920, to Feb. 17, 1921, follows:

Knapp.

Number of males enrolled,	76
Number of females enrolled,	16
Average number belonging,	84.929
Average evening attendance,	78.332
Per cent. of attendance,	91.63

Cornish.

Number of males enrolled,	34
Number of females enrolled,	22
Average number belonging,	32.64
Average evening attendance,	20.83
Per cent. of attendance,	68.04

THE SUMMER SCHOOL.

The vacation school was held at the Burton School building for a period of six weeks. There was an entering group of 131 pupils classified as follows:

Grade 4,	26
Grade 5,	24
Grade 6,	41
Grade 7,	30
Grade 8,	10
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SCHOOL CENSUS, 1920.

	Males	Females	Total
Persons 5 to 7 years,	235	216	451
Persons 7 to 14 years,	834	865	1699
Persons 14 to 16 years,	197	205	402
Illiterate Minors, 16 to 21 years,	26	10	36

SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS.

The tests of sight and hearing have been made by the teachers, as required by law.

Number of pupils examined,	2406
Number found defective in eyesight,	214
Number found defective in hearing,	76
Number of parents or guardians notified,	174

HOUSEHOLD ARTS.

This department was opened in September, 1914. Since that time the number pursuing the course in Cooking and Sewing below the High School follows:

	Cooking	Sewing
1914-1915,	210	250
1915-1916,	217	256
1916-1917,	202	249
1917-1918,	168	230
1918-1919,	197	212
1919-1920,	195	251
1920-1921,	203	276

Household Arts. (High School)

The number pursuing the courses of Cooking and Sewing at the High School follows:

	Cooking	Sewing
1914-1915,	85	45
1915-1916,	79	26
1916-1917,	65	45
1917-1918,	72	58
1918-1919,	48	41
1919-1920,	37	40
1920-1921,	24	28

EMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATES.

*Statistics for the Year Beginning January 1, 1920 and ending
December 31, 1920.*

	Number of minors receiving certifi- cates	Number of certifi- cates issued to minors
Employment certificates for minors between 14 and 16 years of age,	147	196
Educational certificates for minors over 16 who can read, write and spell in the Eng- lish language in accordance with the re- quirements of the completion of the fourth grade (now sixth),	366	449
Educational certificates for illiterate minors over 16 years of age,	89	196
Home permits, for minors between 14 and 16,	10	12

Every employed person between the ages of 14 and 21 must have a certificate. Such person must prove his age by a birth

certificate, baptismal certificate, passport, or some other satisfactory evidence.

If he is under 16 years of age he must attend day school until he is able to fulfill the requirements of the completion of the sixth grade. If he is over 16 years of age and cannot meet the above requirements he must attend the evening school.

Minors between the ages of 14 and 16 must either be employed or attend day school. In order to work he must present a physician's certificate of health, the employer's promise to employ, and a school record.

A new certificate must be obtained every time he changes his place of employment.

Employers must return to the superintendent of schools the certificate of minors leaving their employ, within 48 hours after employment has ceased.

Attention is directed to the reports of the Senior High School principal, the Junior High School principal, the Agricultural Instructor and the Attendance Officer.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. HARRIS,

Superintendent of Schools.

LIST OF TEACHERS.

Plymouth, Mass., 1920-1921.

Senior High School.

William F. Allen, Principal, 14 Cushman Street.
Crescentia Beck, 20 Allerton Street.
Gertrude Darling, 23 Fremont Street.
Helen Getchell, 27 Russell Street.
A. Thelma Hollander, 22 Allerton Street.
Fred Holmes, 39 Mayflower Street.
Agnes A. Lisk, 2 Sever Street.
Elizabeth Mackenzie, 35 Mayflower Street.
Anne M. Mackinnon, 27 Russell Street.
Elizabeth Marsh, 38 Union Street.
Eileen McCarthy, 11 Sever Street.
Nora M. McCarthy, 23 Fremont Street.
Alice A. Preston, 40 Union Street.
John F. Sheehan, 39 Mayflower Street.
Marjorie White, 22 Allerton Street.
Edwin B. Young, Stone Estate, Box 11.

Junior High School.

Katharine A. O'Brien, Principal, 23 Nelson Street.
Beatrice Bennett, 40 Union Street.
Nina Brayton, 19 Franklin Street.
Mary A. Burke, 5 Sagamore Street.
Alice Butler, 21 Vernon Street.
Gladys L. Cobb, 18 Allerton Street.
Beatrice Curran, 11 Lothrop Street.
Mary M. Dolan, 11 Lothrop Street.
Elizabeth Hett, 112 Sandwich Street.
Katharine A. Hickey, 11 Lothrop Street.

Marion Reynolds, 112 Sandwich Street.
Hazel A. Ross, 38 Union Street.
Della S. Spencer, 11 Lothrop Street.
Frances Squarey, 21 Vernon Street.
Jennie F. Stratton, 35 Mayflower Street.

Hedge School.

Elizabeth H. Sampson, Principal, Clifford Road.
Hazel Bates, 15 Clyfton Street.
Grace N. Bramhall, 12 Sever Street.
Florence Corey, 133 Court Street.
Ruth M. Gammons, 8 Sever Street.
Lucy L. Hildreth, 133 Court Street.
Marjorie F. Kingsley, 15 Clyfton Street.
Bertha E. McNaught, 33 Russell Street.
Ella F. Robinson, 12 Sever Street.

Spooner Street School.

Fannie Ortolani, 8 Cherry Street.

Knapp School.

William I. Whitney, Principal, 6 North Street.
Sarah Y. Bailey, Kingston, Mass.
Annie S. Burgess, 37 Union Street.
Margaret L. Christie, 401 Court Street.
Lydia E. Holmes, 261 Court Street.
Flora A. Keene, 5 Washington Street.
Maude H. Lermond, 79 Court Street.
Mary J. Pimental, 15 Savery Avenue.
Susan M. Quinn, 147 Main Street, Kingston, Mass.
Ethel B. Sollis, Pembroke Road, Kingston, Mass.
Katherine G. Zahn, 320 Court Street.

Cold Spring School.

Gertrude C. Bennett, 12 Stafford Street.
Mabel E. Douglas, Bournedale, Mass., R. F. D.

Oak Street School.

Agnes V. Eaton, 19 High Street.

Bertha H. Smith, 19 High Street.

Cornish School.

Addie L. Bartlett, Principal, 28 Allerton Street.

Frances I. Bagnell, 5 Spring Street, North Plymouth.

M. Etta Cooney, 19 High Street.

Helen Holmes, 28 Chilton Street.

Helen Klocker, 9 Sever Street.

Charlotte E. Lovering, 12 Sever Street.

Jean Murray, 16 Brewster Street.

Ethel D. Tolman, 12 Sever Street.

Helen E. Shurtleff, 131 1-2 Court Street.

Burton School.

Grace Blackmer, 5 Warren Avenue.

Mary F. Maguire, 35 Mayflower Street.

Teresa A. Rogan, Newfields Street.

Mabel F. Tierney, Hillside.

Mt. Pleasant School.

Augusta M. Morton, Principal, 162 Sandwich Street.

Alice M. Cagney, 31 Mayflower Street.

Grace L. Knight, 133 Court Street.

Helen H. Linnell, 72 Warren Avenue.

Ruth Mansfield, 19 Franklin Street.

A. Ruth Toombs, 31 Mayflower Street.

Individual School.

Mary L. Jackson, 7 North Green Street.

Lincoln Street Primary.

Helen G. Annis, 12 Clyfton Street.

Grace Moor, 110 Sandwich Street.

Wellingsley School.

Flora G. Shurtleff, 131 1-2 Court Street.

Cliff Street School.

Helen D. Stranger, 126 Sandwich Street.

Chiltonville Primary.

Catherine W. Sampson, Clifford Road, Chiltonville.

Russell Mills School.

Vacancy.

Manomet.

Estella Butland, 4 Massasoit Street.

Mary E. Robbins, 102 Allerton Street.

Cedarville.

Theresa E. D. Pope, Bournedale, Mass., R. F. D.

Long Pond.

Emma L. Squires, Bournedale, Mass., R. F. D

Special Teachers.

Music, Supervisor, Laura Brown, Holmes Terrace.

Drawing Teacher, S. Isabel Hilk, 40 Mayflower Street.

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL REPORT.

Mr. Charles A. Harris,

Superintendent of Schools, Plymouth, Mass.

My dear Mr. Harris—I have the honor to submit to you my second annual report as Principal of the Plymouth High School.

The opening of the high school this year found an enrollment of 314 pupils as compared with a total enrollment last year of 298. The high school, without question, has shown a comfortable growth in membership during the past ten years, the number in 1910 being 214 pupils and in 1920, 314 which shows an increase of 100 pupils or a growth of 50 per cent. in ten years. Although the high school has been growing at a much faster rate than the town—the high school increasing at a rate of 50 per cent. while the population of the town has shown an approximate increase of only about 8 per cent. during the ten year period from 1910 to 1920—still, the fact remains that the number of pupils in the high school is too small when compared with many towns in the Commonwealth. There ought to be at least 400 attending the Plymouth High School.

All school systems are judged by their holding power or the ability to keep the child in school until the completion of the four years of high school work. The ideal school system would graduate from its high school all the pupils who enter the first grade, a condition, of course, which never exists but the goal toward which all communities ought to strive. Although Plymouth graduates more students from its high school than the median which Dr. Ayres found for fifty-nine cities, nevertheless, it stands in no very enviable position when compared with cities like Newton and Montclair.

In my opinion there are four ways by which the population of the high school might be enlarged: First, by building another junior high school in the northern part of the town; second, payment by the town for the transportation of pupils of high school age; third, providing school playgrounds and athletic fields for the schools wherever possible; and fourth, establishing a course in Manual Training in the high school.

The need is urgent for the official appointment of some teacher as a dean for the girls in the high school. A small beginning has been made in this direction but it is absolutely impossible for a teacher who has all her class room duties to perform to do very much. It is respectfully requested that this matter be given serious consideration.

During the summer vacation all the available space in the basement was incorporated in the lunch room. It is still too small. Not only is there no room so that seats may be provided for the pupils but not all who desire to take advantage of the lunch are able to be accommodated at the same time. A new recitation room was made out of the boys' dressing room on the first floor and a place was provided for the boys in the basement.

At the beginning of school in September there was a complete reorganization of the courses in History to conform to the recommendations of the History Committee of the National Education Association. The old course in Ancient History is still retained for those who are preparing for college or scientific school. The courses by years follow:

First Year: (a) Civics—economics and vocational. Economic History. (b) Ancient History—for pupils preparing for college.

Second Year: European History (including Ancient History) to approximately the end of the seventeenth century.

Third Year: European History (including English) since approximately the end of the seventeenth century.

Fourth Year: American History, Civics and Problems of American Democracy.

With the employment of an instructor who had actively participated in athletics in high school and college the boys of the school have taken much more interest in their games. The remarkable improvement shown in football this fall shows beyond a doubt the necessity of engaging teachers who have some knowledge outside of their academic work. It is useless, however, to teach boys games unless a suitable playground is provided. The Plymouth boys will never be able to compete successfully with the schools in other towns until they have as good grounds as those schools have. If the boys of Plymouth are to have a square deal, it is absolutely essential that an athletic field be secured at once and made ready for baseball this spring.

The high school should be provided at the earliest opportunity with a program clock and secondaries for the recitation rooms and a telephone system from the office to the various rooms. No investment could be made for the High School which would render a greater return for the money expended than the purchase of these requisites for the efficient administration of the work. They are an absolute necessity in the modern high school.

It is necessary for me to emphasize again this year the need for more room and additional equipment for the Commercial Department. If pupils are to be given a thorough preparation in office work, an office equipment should be provided. Not only must the equipment be procured but the pupils must do their work under the same conditions that would be met in the business world. If the school furnishes the same environment that will be encountered outside, the course would be made more attractive to the boys and something worth while. The course as now organized is primarily for girls who are studying secretarial work and is completed by few boys, although many make the start under the supposition that they are entering upon a course that will prepare them for a business career. A business office fully equipped should be built in the high school so that the boys will have an equal opportunity with the girls.

It is to be regretted that there is no course in Manual Training in the high school for the boys. Ample provision has been made for the girls by the course in Household Arts which has been well organized and efficiently taught. It is perhaps even more necessary to provide vocational subjects for boys than for girls for the purpose of retaining them in school, as the comparison of the number of boys with the number of girls in any high school will show. The following quotation has been taken from Mr. Calvin O. Davis' High School Courses of Study: "Regarded at the outset as a purely utilitarian subject, manual training has at the present day, through an extension of scope, a perfection of organization, and an improvement of method, come near to justifying its claim to educational values not inferior to those of any other subject in the program. Probably the value that stands out most prominently in this study is the social value. This is an industrial age, with complex industrial—and hence complex social—relations. The applications of science have produced labor-saving machinery in great variety, made available the natural resources of the world, developed easy means of communication and transportation, and led to the establishment of world-wide markets and the transformation of former luxuries into present necessities. To direct the forces and agencies of the new age wisely, an extension and intensification of social intercourse are demanded. Hence, any subject that gives a clearer insight into the resources, tools, and processes by which contemporary society maintains itself, and discloses to the citizen the essential relations in which he stands to his fellows in the active affairs of the world—such a subject clearly possesses significant social value.

"Moreover, manual training undoubtedly has other social values of recognized worth. It provides a laboratory experience which, while different from that gained in a study of the sciences, is no whit inferior to it. It develops a respect for manual labor and a feeling of kinship for the manual laborer; it familiarizes the pupil with the materials of construction and with

the nature and care of tools and machines; it develops habits of work in the pupil himself, and reveals to him the money value of a day's effort; and it discloses the necessity of co-operation in all forms of social intercourse. Furthermore, the organization and administration of manual training work at its best take on the character of the real social activities found outside the school room, and thus develop a social spirit and habituate pupils to social forms and reactions.

"But, in addition to their social values, manual training courses develop stalwart moral qualities, such as energy, accuracy, thoroughness, self-reliance, self-confidence, precision, and habits of neatness and order. They also provide an intellectual training that is unrivaled, not the least significant aspect of which is the power to see the end of the problem and effort from the very beginning. They likewise train in concentration, judgment, and logical procedure in working with material things.

"The aesthetic values of manual training are also deep, varied, and forcible, inasmuch as crude material is constantly being transformed into articles of beauty and utility. The practical values of the subject are, certainly for many pupils, of very great worth; while the auxiliary, conventional, and cultural values are all realizable to a notable degree.

"Thus, to the social worker and to the educator who takes note of the remarkable changes in the industrial forms and processes of today, manual training as a subject of study in the schools appeals with exceptional force. It is capable of yielding values indispensable to this age, and unattainable through the agency of any other school subject. Hence, it seems to justify its claim to some recognition in the curriculum of every high school boy."

In conclusion permit me to express my appreciation to you and to the School Committee as well as to the untiring efforts of the teachers who have been associated and have co-operated with me for so heartily aiding me in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. ALLEN, *Principal.*

ANNUAL
GRADUATION EXERCISES
PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL, CLASS OF 1920.

HIGH SCHOOL HALL
Evening of June Seventeenth
Nineteen Hundred Twenty
At Eight O'clock

Program

March, "Grand Festival"Schleiffarth
SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Invocation

REV. ARTHUR B. WHITNEY

Salutatory and Essay, "Memories of a French Childhood"
EMMA CANOVARO

Singing, "Invictus"Bruno Huhn
SCHOOL CHORUS

Essay, "Pilgrim Days in Old Plymouth"
MARY ARNOLD CRAIG

Selection from "Maytime"Romberg
SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Essay, "The Companionship of Books"
FRANCIS ROBINSON DEANS

*Oration

PHILIP KNIGHT BATES

Overture, "Lustspiel"Keler-Bela
SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Essay and Valedictory, "The New America"
SADIE KAPLOWITZ

Presentation of Diplomas

Singing of Class Song

CLASS OF 1920

*Excused.

Class Song

Three hundred years ago, 'tis said,
The Pilgrims crossed the sea,
And founded here our country dear
For law and liberty.
A heritage to us they gave,
Their courage firm and true;
With this, O 1920 class,
We'll face the world for you.

Four years we've been together here,
Enjoying work and fun;
And so we come to bid farewell,
Our school days now are done.
But though our paths lead far apart
Into the world so new,
To thee, O 1920 class,
We'll pledge allegiance true.

To 1920 raise a cheer,
The best class in the land;
We classmates all stand at the call,
Hand firmly clasped with hand.
Undaunted, loyal, firm we'll be,
As years fly swiftly by,
And to our memory oft recall
The days at Plymouth High.

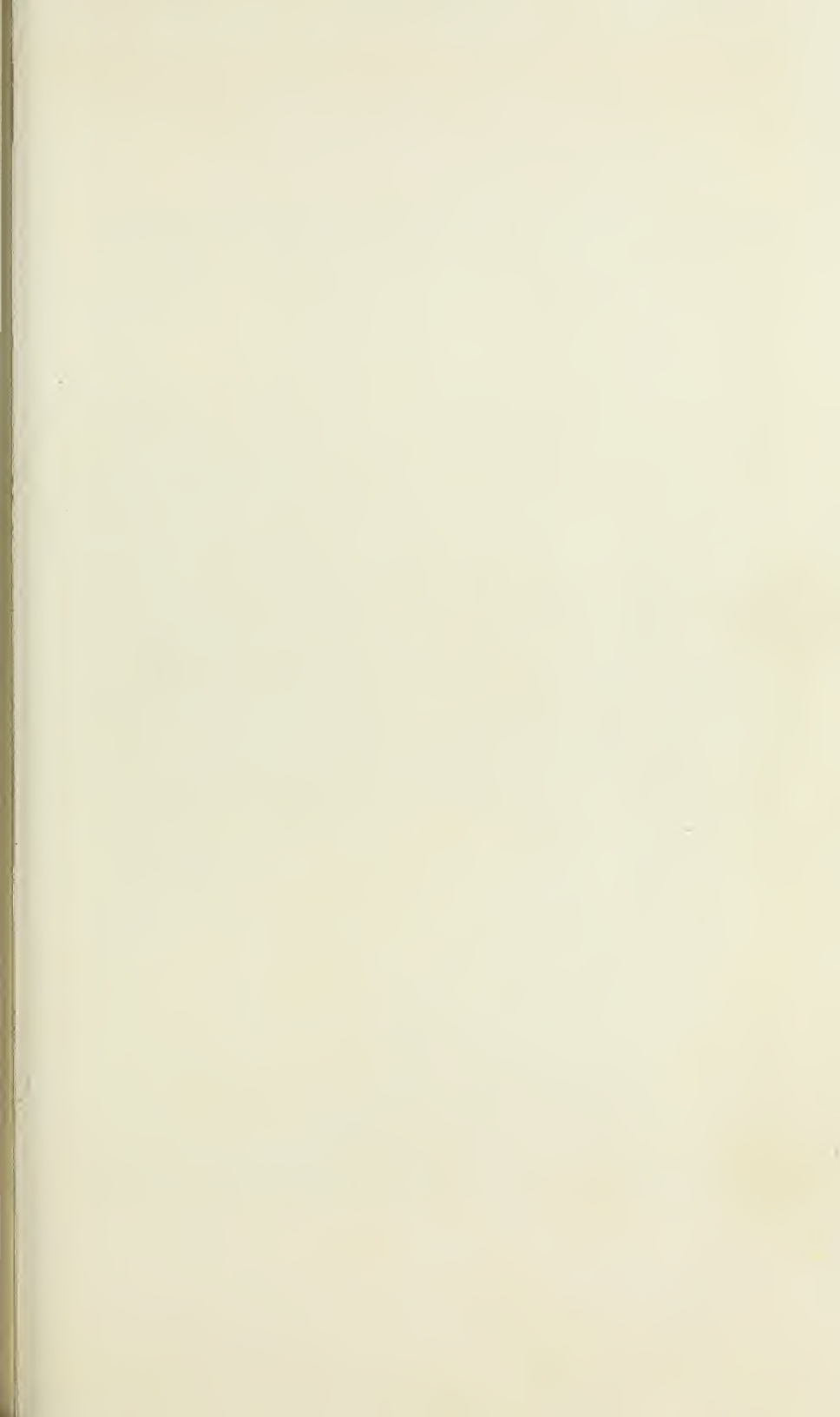
Words by Christiana P. Jordan

Music by Joseph Helling

CLASS OF 1920.

CLASS MOTTO: "*Co-operation.*"

Elizabeth Beatrice Baker	Margaret Paige Hazen
Philip Knight Bates	Joseph Helling
Doris Russell Bartlett	Madeline Dagmar Hokanson
Morton Covell Bartlett	Christiana Pratt Jordan
Lewis Emery Battles	Sadie Kaplowitz
Richard Bittinger	Everline Caswell Knight
Louise Blackmer	Hazel Barbara Knight
Mary Arnold Craig	Eunice Brayton Magee
Frances Clark	Annie Patricia McMahon
Greta Elizabeth Clark	Helen Winthrop Morton
Mary Anne Clough	Jeanette Morton
Emma Canovaro	Vivian Ruth Mosman
Lydia Elizabeth Carletti	Elvira Manning Paty
Alice Elizabeth Cherrier	Edith Christiana Peck
Hazel Marie Cote	John Edward Ransden
Miriam Howland Davee	Susan Teresa Riedel
Frances Robinson Deans	Alice Irene Rogan
Laura Adeline Douglas	Jeannette Moore Sampson
Wilfred Amis Doyon	Dorothy Holmes Savery
Frank Ronald Eastwood	Josephine Louise Savoy
Beulah Lenwood Eldridge	Margaret Mary Shea
Evelyn May Erickson	Doris Hill Sherman
Mary Emma Framento	Gladys Fuller Sherman
Urbane Graffam	Gordon Bradford Simmons
Howard Russell Gray	Celia Agnes Verre
Percy Clegg Haigh	Elizabeth Perkins Ward
Bettina Hall	Caroline Mabel Ward
Elmer Randall Harlow	





PILGRIMS OF THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL, DEC. 9, 1920.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL REPORT.

Mr. Charles A. Harris,

Superintendent of Schools, Plymouth, Mass.

Dear Sir: I herewith submit the annual report of the Junior High School briefly giving an account of the work that has been done, the condition of the school, together with a few recommendations for its future good.

The total enrolment was 394, 212 boys and 182 girls. Of these, 194 were in the seventh grade, 150 in the eighth, and 50 in the so-called ninth grade.

In June, 116 pupils were promoted to High School. This is the largest number since the school was organized as a Junior High School. One reason for this is the notable decrease in the number of pupils leaving school. Only ten left to become wage earners. Comparing this small number with those of former years, it becomes clear that both parents and pupils are recognizing more and more the advantages of the school.

During the past year the course in civics has been revised so that community service has been emphasized. The use which the pupil is taught to make of civics should have a social effect. As a study of community activities it is tied up with history, geography, hygiene, arithmetic, current events, and household arts. Citizenship never meant so much as it does now and through community activities pupils acquire early practice in citizenship. To further these activities the pupils produced in December as their contribution to the Tercentenary, a pageant of the Pilgrims which made real again to actors and visitors the early days of our history and awakened pride in their country and town.

In connection with this, a project worked out by a seventh grade class entitled a Pilgrim Christmas, was presented by them to parents and pupils. It was an interesting means of tying up the present with the past and subconsciously taught the spirit of service. As America in colonial days was a co-operative enterprise and everyone helped, so should a community reap the rewards of its expenditure in service from the pupils. This we are trying to instill into the pupils through the course in civics. While the socialized recitation and the project-problem methods are used in all subjects as means of motivation there is also the definite instruction.

Possibly no phase of the activities of the school from a social point of view has received such a high commendation as the orchestra, composed of four girls and nine boys. Under the able direction of Mr. Clarke the work is carefully executed. It has proved its value whenever the school has given public entertainments and the efforts of these boys and girls are highly commendable. The rehearsals take place once a week always after school hours.

Our greatest need at present is more room. There are fifteen pupils without desks, and on Friday when there is no woodworking, we are obliged to use the sewing room. The physical training is carried on out of doors on pleasant days, but on stormy days we are greatly handicapped by lack of room. When the school meets for assembly once a week (and this is an important feature of every Junior High School), only 25 per cent. of the pupils have seats.

The advantages of visual instruction in geography is at once evident as it is not only educational but inspirational. We have a lantern and a collection of good slides on geographic subjects which we are unable to use merely on account of lack of room.

What the school needs is an assembly hall where the various activities of the school may be carried on without discomfort. It is to be regretted that there is no place where all the pupils can meet for singing, for visual instruction, or for the observ-

ance of days of special importance. Those parents who attend the public exercises of the school must realize this as well as we.

Provision should also be made for a library for supplying current news and additional reading matter. While the short school day must be a time for serious effort, there is need of reference books for supplementing the work which the pupil has to do in his study period.

There should also be some provision made for accelerating groups of pupils who show superior ability.

Last September it was found expedient to improve the appearance of the grounds fronting on Sandwich Street. One puzzling feature was how to obtain money for this. Mrs. Edward Watson helped solve this problem by her generous donation of hundreds of shrubs, and by the money received from the pageant we were enabled to pay for the work done by Mr. Alton Burgess in setting these out.

In conclusion I wish to thank both Mrs. Watson and Mr. Burgess for their contributions towards beautifying the grounds.

Respectfully submitted,

KATHARINE A. O'BRIEN, *Principal*.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Plymouth, Massachusetts,
February 12, 1921.

Superintendent Charles A. Harris,
Plymouth, Mass.

My dear Mr. Harris:

As requested, I herewith submit the report of the Instructor of the Vocational Agricultural Department of the Plymouth High School.

INTRODUCTORY.

The duties of the present incumbent began the latter part of June 1920. The chief interests which have commanded his attention are:

1. The regular work with the classes of the High School Agricultural Department.
2. Work in connection with the Federal Board for the Rehabilitation of Disabled Soldiers.
3. Boys' and Girls' School Garden Work.
4. Community Service.

He has also co-operated with various agricultural agencies as recommended by the State Department for Vocational Agricultural Education.

I. REGULAR WORK WITH THE CLASSES OF THE HIGH SCHOOL AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Department Enrollment—During the past summer sixteen boys were occupied with the work of the department while at the opening of school in September there were fifteen. Of these one was graduated and four changed to another course primarily with the idea of fitting for a higher institution. Of fourteen applications for first year agriculture, eight boys were accepted in September making a total of eighteen at the opening of school. At the present time there are sixteen members.

Nature of Agricultural Work—From the vocational point of view, book work must be correlated with actual farm experience. Hence each boy must either have a so-called "Project," or offer a substitute for it called "Substitute Work" which allows him to gain his experience by working on some farm. In some cases a boy does both. The Project is a definite farm enterprise with animals or crops which involves capital and the keeping of accounts.

The chief project study this year is *Poultry*. A vital interest is kept up at all times:

1st. Because the different phases of the subject are taken up in seasonal order which means that all poultrymen are centering their attention and activity on the particular thing that is being studied;

2d. Because the boys are privileged to visit the plants of some of the best poultrymen in the state and see with their own eyes up-to-date practice, equipment and popular breeds and varieties of birds. Indeed, they hear from the lips of some of these practical experts, things which have taken a lifetime to learn.

A Few Results—The results of the Project and Substitute Work which ended last fall are worthy of some consideration. Projects which dealt with poultry, fruit, pigs, gardens, etc., produced a net gain of \$476.17. Boys with Substitute Work

earned \$2,493.70, making a total of \$2,970.47 clear earnings for fifteen boys, or an average of \$198.03 per boy. Most of the boys taking the Agricultural Course are handicapped for land and equipment. This, with the fact that boys have received a very high wage of late, owing to the war, explains why the second figure given is so much larger than the first.

At the recent Poultry Show in Boston the following five boys, out of nine who sent exhibits, received prizes:

1. Edward Ward—First prize, Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerel.
2. D. Blair McClosky—Second prize, pair of Pekin Ducks.
3. Everett J. Pyle—Second prize, White Orpington Pullet.
4. Axel W. Anderson—Fourth prize, White Leghorn Cockerel.
5. Robert A. Cappella—Fifth prize, Barred Plymouth Rock Pullet.

II. REHABILITATION OF DISABLED SOLDIERS.

The Federal Board for Rehabilitation of Disabled Soldiers has one student registered in the High School Agricultural Department for training in Poultry. It may be of interest to know regarding the success of this member that in the month of December he got 1200 eggs from 60 pullets.

III. BOYS' AND GIRLS' SCHOOL GARDEN WORK.

Gardens Registered—One hundred and thirty-five boys and girls, scattered from one end of Plymouth to the other, were registered for this kind of work. Three visits were made to those who carried their gardens through to the end. Approximately 40 gardens dropped out. The reasons given were these:

Sickness, family moved away, land sold, only early vegetables grown, crop never came up, lost interest, things eaten up by bugs, etc.

Prize Gardens—As usual the School Committee gave \$50 prize money, of which \$25 was distributed to those who took prizes at the exhibit, and \$25 to those who received the highest scores on gardens. The score card was made up of the following points:

1. Variety of Crops.
2. Planning, Succession of Crops.
3. Weeds, Cultivation, Neatness.
4. Interest, Amount of Own Work.
5. Yield, Quality of Crop.

The boys and girls who had the highest scores were:

Sarah Henrique	Reginald Brown
Francis Burgess	Leonard Miles
Charles Cappella	Albert Cappella
Louis Cappella	Alfred Pimental
Alfred Leonardi	Eleanora Testoni
Leonard Lahey	William Mueller
Fannie Ferrioli	Robert Goddard
Lawrence Mayher	Walter Oosterdeip
Lawrence Doyle	Gladys Marvel
Alice Rogers	Louis Wurzbarger
Delma Ottani	Alton Mattioli
Mary Keough	Ernest Armes
Harriet Harlow	

The School Garden Exhibit—This was held Saturday afternoon and evening, October 2d, at the South Street Engine House. As a full account of this and the prizes awarded was published in the Brockton Times of October 4th, it is not necessary to repeat it here. The seven pupils who carried away the greatest amount of prize money for garden and exhibit together were:

Leonard Lahey

Reginald Brown

Louis Cappella

Eleanora Testoni

Albert Cappella

Leonard Miles

Sarah Henrique

These seven, of the 135 pupils who registered, took \$18.97 out of the \$50 given for prizes.

IV. COMMUNITY SERVICE.

It has been the privilege of the Agricultural Department to render, now and then, a little service to individuals of the community, either in a practical way or by giving bits of agricultural information or suggestions.

In the judging of 52 Kitchen Gardens, 43 Flower Gardens, 63 Places and 18 Poultry Plants for the Plymouth Cordage Company the instructor obtained much enjoyment. The beauty and attractiveness of many of these places were extraordinary.

IX. CONCLUSION.

The hearty welcome and the cordiality of the school authorities and the advisory committee have helped to make the instructor's work very pleasant. The helpful assistance and co-operation of the Principal, the Superintendent, and the School Board are much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN B. YOUNG,

Vocational Agricultural Instructor of Plymouth High School.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee of Plymouth:

I hereby submit for your consideration my fourteenth annual report.

During the year 1919 the Town spent \$137,521.95 for the education of its children. Of this sum \$3,157.34 or 2.02 per cent. was used for the promotion of health through the various activities which are at present classified as Medical Inspection. Since we have begun to study the child in school from the physical side there has been a growing conviction that health is really the essential thing, in fact the foundation, upon which education must be built or suffer the fate of that house which was built upon sand. Although aroused to the importance of the health program in the public schools we were hardly prepared for the startling revelations furnished by the physical examination of our young men from 18 to 21 for the draft, which indicated that thirty per cent. were unfit for service. Undoubtedly all but a small percentage of the disabilities from which these men suffered, existed while they were passing through the public schools, where the State lost the opportunity to detect them and see that they were corrected. They could be 'dropped from our army but they must fight the battle of life and who can compute the economic loss to the nation which this 30 per cent. of defectives represents?

In the school year 1918-1919 in the whole State but \$234,000 was spent for the promotion of health but the work is growing for in the last ten years the amount per pupil has increased 100 per cent.

Many philanthropic organizations appreciating the great need

of this kind of work among the children are contributing funds from outside the town treasuries as has been the case here.

In the Fall of 1919 Sir George Newman presented a few propositions to the Parliament of England. Simple as they seem, they set a high standard and are broad enough to include every recognized means for the promotion of the health of school children. They are as follows:

“Every child shall periodically come under direct medical and dental supervision, and, if found defective, shall be ‘followed up.’

Every school child found ill-nourished shall be fed, and every child found verminous shall, somehow or other, be cleansed.

Every sick, diseased, or defective child shall have made available skilled medical treatment.

Every child shall be educated in a well-ventilated school-room or class-room, or in some form of open air school-room or class-room.

Every child shall have daily, organized physical exercise of appropriate character.

No child of school age shall be employed for profit except under approved conditions.

The school environment and the means of education shall be such as can in no case exert unfavorable or injurious influences upon the health, growth and development of the child.”

If we in Plymouth are to carry on successfully the several enterprises for the promotion of the health of our school children which have already been undertaken and of which I shall speak more in detail they must not be crippled for lack of funds. Only by a liberal attitude towards this work can we hope to hold our position among the progressive towns and cities of the commonwealth among whom we are the first in point of time and historic importance. Here if anywhere in America, the spirit of enlightened progress should survive.

Nutrition Work.

No health work which has been recently taken up in connection with the public schools of our land promises greater benefit to the race than the discovery and treatment of malnutrition among school children, for practically every child spends years under the supervision of school authorities who therefore have an opportunity to do splendid work towards the elimination of a condition which is responsible for much of that physical handicap under which our country labors and which as has been said was so forcibly brought to our attention by the physical examination of our young manhood during the draft.

I assume that it is conceded that tuberculosis is responsible to a greater extent than any other disease or defect for poverty and economic loss to the state and here in the schools we have the only opportunity for successfully attacking the problem.

Dr. Henry D. Chadwick, superintendent of the State Sanatorium for tuberculous children at Westfield, speaking before the 10th Congress of the American School Hygiene Association made the statement that "at least 90 per cent. of all children in our city schools and 70 per cent. in the country at large are infected with tubercle bacilli before the age of 15 years."

This does not mean, of course, that all these children are sick, but that the germs of the disease are living in the body of the child, ready and willing to make trouble whenever the opportunity presents itself. Dr. Chadwick says further, "If tubercle bacilli gain entrance into a child's body when it is under-nourished or its vitality is weakened for some cause, disease will very surely follow, even if the number of germs is relatively small or comparatively low in virulence. If, on the other hand, the child was in normal health at the time the bacilli gained entrance, the healthy tissue would resist in such a way that no harm would result."

Here then, is our plain duty, namely, to see to it that in so far as is humanely possible, none of our children are under-

nourished, in order that no harm may result from the germs of a disease known to be almost universally present.

In closing his paper Dr. Chadwick says, "I firmly believe we can do more to lower the adult death rate from tuberculosis by proper care and supervision of the child before the age of fifteen years than we can accomplish with the best recognized treatment after that age period has been reached."

In May weighing scales were installed in the Hedge school by the committee and a group of thirteen under-nourished children were selected as being most in need of assistance. The school physician had at his disposal a small sum of money which had been contributed and this served to provide milk which was given the children mid-morning and mid-afternoon until school closed, a period of about six weeks.

These children were from two to eleven pounds underweight, the total for the group being 105 pounds. At the end of the experiment three had made no gain, one having actually lost a pound. The total gain for the group was thirty-nine pounds. There were evidently many things to be done for these children in connection with the feeding, if we were to succeed. Defects, such as carious teeth and enlarged tonsils and adenoids must be removed, the conditions under which they were sleeping, the kind of food and the hours of eating at home and the amount and kind of work they were doing out of school must be looked into and the interest and cooperation of the parents enlisted before the best results could be hoped for.

At the opening of school in the fall there were no funds available for feeding, but the weighing and measuring of the pupils was carried on as time permitted, until every pupil had been weighed and measured and the result compared with the normal weight for the age and height. The result showed that out of the total enrollment of 334 pupils 150 or 45 per cent. were under weight.

In this connection it should be noted that Dr. M. E. Champion, Director of the Division of Hygiene of the Massachusetts

Department of Public Health says that, "statistics show that, generally speaking, about one-third of our school children are under-nourished. We have then, in this school, a far larger proportion of under-nourished children than obtained throughout the schools of the State as a whole. Of the 150 under-weight children 36 were found to be more than five pounds below normal.

On presentation of these figures to the school committee they agreed to be temporarily responsible for the purchase of milk until outside funds, which had been promised, were available, and a group of twelve children from 5 to 11 pounds below normal, were selected for feeding. Each child had a pint of milk a day which was taken through straws as shown in the illustration. Half of it was given in the morning and half in the afternoon. All the children but one showed a gain and two reached their normal weight, but as a group they still had far to go, as they had gained at the end of the three months over which the experiment lasted, only one-third of what they needed to bring them up to a normal condition.

The amount of milk is, of course, small, and much of the value of the feeding in this, as in the previous experiment was lost because we have no suitable place for an out-of-door rest period. There should be some such place in the open air and sunlight where the children, properly protected by blankets, could lie down for 15 or 20 minutes after each feeding.

This may seem to some like turning the school into a hospital, but it is not so, unless allowing these children, who need it, a little more of what rightfully belongs to them, i. e., fresh air and food, makes it so.

The Local Chapter of the Red Cross Society has shown their appreciation of this kind of work by loaning the School Department scales for the Knapp, Cornish, Morton and Mt. Pleasant schools.

Much can be done by forming classes of under-nourished children and encouraging them to eat proper food at proper

times and form other healthful habits, their normal weight being held up before them as the shining goal towards which they are to press. Those who gain most are placed at the head of the class in the order of their success and a gold star awarded, thus arousing interest and a spirit of healthful rivalry. As has been already said, if the interest and cooperation of the parents can be gained, so much the better, and "teachers have an exceptional opportunity to aid."

It must not be supposed that the problem of malnutrition lies only with the poor. Dr. William R. P. Emerson of Boston, a recognized authority, says, "we have found poverty the essential cause in only 5 per cent. of our cases. There are few families in our community who cannot afford sufficient nourishing food for their children. The problem involves showing people what is good for their children to eat, when to eat it and when not to eat it, the value of fresh air and a proper amount of sleep and the removal of remedial defects. Many a child of well-to-do parents is starving for more of the right kind of food and less of the wrong kind.

A number of school children have been kept under observation at the Dispensary maintained by the Board of Health and it has proved to be of great assistance, both in the prevention of disease and in a few cases where trouble had already started, in its discovery and arrest.

We should maintain an open air school, centrally located, equipped to give under-nourished children the greater amount of rest their lowered vitality requires, a maximum of fresh air, with protection against cold and such nourishing food as may be advisable. It seems to me that a one-room portable building similar to the two room building now in use at the Knapp school could be easily adapted to the requirements of such a school and should be purchased.

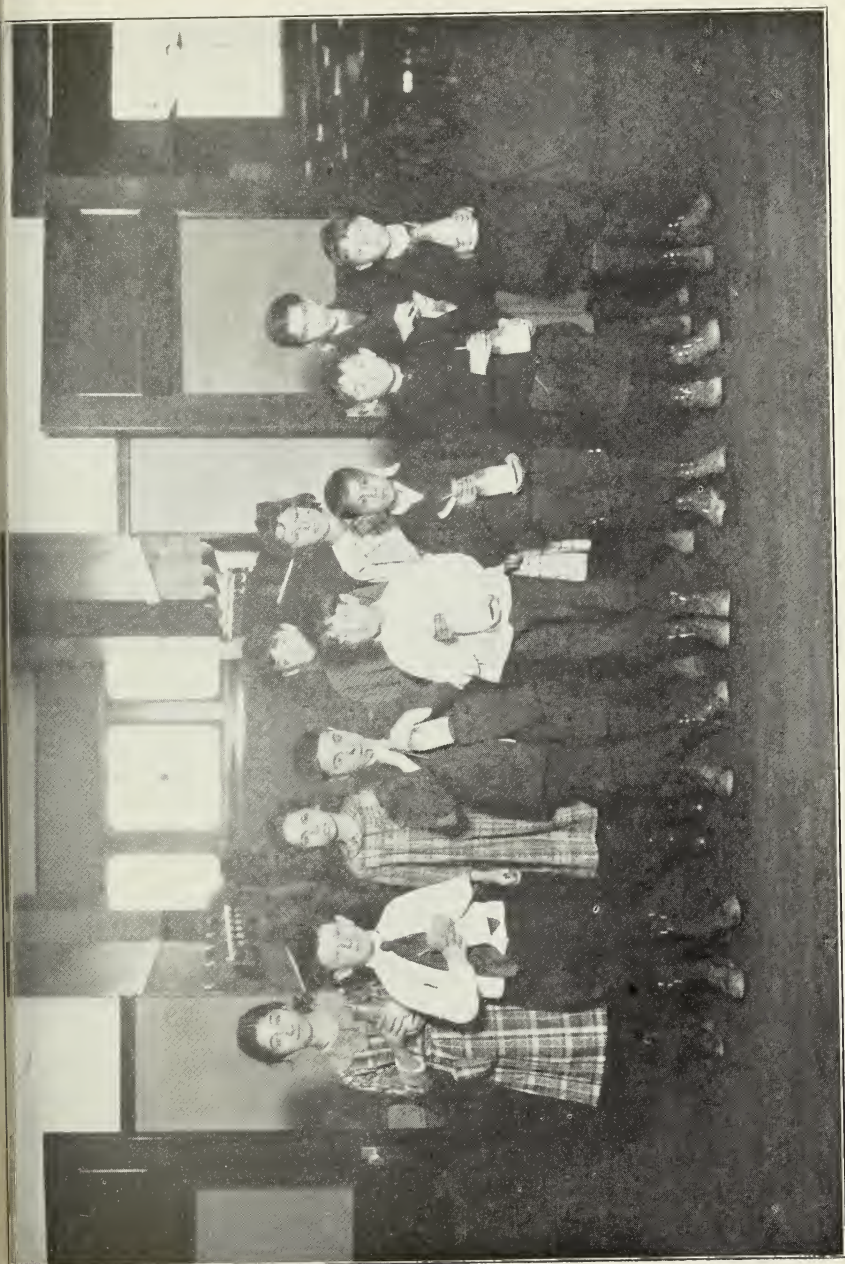
Dental Clinic and Oral Hygiene.

On June 17th, 1913, the School Committee voted to au-



An unselected group of children who have been relieved of troublesome tonsils and adenoid vegetations through a special service at the Jordan Hospital.





These children were from five to eleven pounds underweight when they began taking milk regularly twice a day at school.





TREATING A PUPIL AT THE SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC





WAITING-ROOM OF SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC



thorize the school physician to purchase such equipment as might be essential and make the necessary arrangements for a free dental clinic for the children of the public schools. The dentists responded to the call for help and all agreed to give such time as was necessary to keep the clinic open two hours a week through the school year. The first clinic was held in the office of the Superintendent on Saturday morning, October 17th, 1913. Thus the work was begun on a small scale with each dentist doing his share.

In their budget for 1918 the committee included one thousand dollars for a "dental nurse and supplies" and the money was voted at the March meeting, but during the school year 1918-1919, the dental work was discontinued. In the Fall of 1919, the school physician succeeded in obtaining the services of Miss Gladys White of North Abington, Massachusetts, who graduated from the Forsyth Dental Infirmary, Training School for Dental Hygienists in 1918.

Miss White began her work December 6, 1919. In January, 1920, the School Committee decided on an up-to-date equipment for their dental work. A room was secured in the Governor Bradford Building, a new floor laid, varnished and waxed, and walls painted. The room was divided by a partition, thus making an operating room and waiting room. The operating room includes the latest equipment: an S. S. White chair and unit, with gas, electric and water connections, a white enamel steel cabinet, white enamel glass shelved table, filing cabinet, desk, white wash bowl and all material necessary to carry on the work successfully, thus making one of the best equipped public school Dental Clinics in the State of Massachusetts, outside of the large cities, for Plymouth believes it is worth while to employ a hygienist on full time and to pay the running expenses of their clinic.

Each dentist in the town takes his turn during the school year, filling and extracting the children's teeth. A charge of ten cents is made for each operation. Besides assisting the

dentists on Saturday mornings the Dental Hygienist has the children come from school at definite hours to have their teeth cleaned on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Teeth are examined at the schools by her on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and tooth brush drills and talks on dental hygiene are given.

The children who take care of their teeth and keep them clean are given a "clean tooth button" to wear. The school getting the largest number of buttons, wins a banner at the end of six months. The tooth brush drill is taught each grade and a brush given each child when he can use it satisfactorily. Tooth brushes are sold for six cents.

A complete filing system has been installed which makes all necessary information available at once. Dental charts indicate the results of the examinations, each tooth needing attention of any kind being designated on the chart. Only those who are unable to secure private treatment are given the privileges of the clinic, and information necessary to determine the eligibility of a child is gained by means of three questions on the back of a card, which is sent to parents and which they must fill out when treatment is requested. The co-operation of the teachers is also of assistance.

The following dentists have worked faithfully and well, without pay during this school year of 1919 and 1920: Dr. Harold E. Donovan, Dr. Waldo Hayward, Dr. John F. Taylor, Dr. Alsop L. Douglas, Dr. Ivan D. Fairbanks and Dr. Elton S. Jewett. The total number of hours devoted to the work by these dentists was 44.

A case of cleft palate, a deformity which makes it impossible to speak distinctly, was discovered by the school physician during his examinations and referred to Miss White, who succeeded in having the defect remedied at the Forsyth Dental Infirmary in Boston.

A great many children who otherwise would not have their teeth cared for have had them thoroughly cleaned and they have been taught how to take care of them themselves by the Dental

Hygienist, but the number of fillings and treatments which can be done by the dentists in the two hours given to the work each week is necessarily small. Miss White's ambition now is to secure one paid dentist to work two or three mornings each week, thus permitting the filling of "treatment cases," extractions, and many other operations which are now impossible, as there is too little time for them.

It is hoped that the townspeople of Plymouth will cooperate in this good work in every way possible. Parents are encouraged to visit the clinic in the Governor Bradford Building on Saturday mornings or at any time when Miss White is there.

Each year should afford wider opportunities for usefulness in the care of the teeth of our children, for 95 out of every 100 school children need some dental work. Probably the greatest amount of good is done, not by the actual work upon the mouths of the children at the free clinics, but by the higher standards of mouth hygiene, which we are creating in the community through the work of the Dental Hygienist. An uncared for mouth is getting to be more and more unpopular among school children and this is as it should be.

SUMMARY 1914-1921.

YEAR	Number of Treatments	Number of Examinations	Number of Cleanings	Number of Pupils treated
1914	113	410	31	81
1915	170	370	44	93
1916	164	370	50	89
1917	239	481	62	108
1918	None	None	None	None
1919 (two weeks)	16	100	10	5
1920	744	2,025	569	698

Of the 744 treatments given in 1920, 150 were fillings, 25 extractions and 569 cleanings.

School Nurse.

The first three months of the year Miss Nellie I. Mitchell acted as school nurse in the absence of Miss Macdonald, who resumed her duties on April 1st, having entirely recovered her health and strength. The year has been a busy one for the nurse on account of the large number of cases of contagious disease which though generally not of serious character, required a great deal of "following up" and investigating.

When the report for 1919 was written a Surgical Service for Children had just been inaugurated at the Jordan Hospital, making it possible to have troublesome tonsils and adenoid vegetations removed at a nominal cost in deserving cases. The first child under this Service was taken to the hospital on January 23 and as the report of the nurse shows, many others followed, making a total of 38 for the year. The days when the nurse had to plead for the relief of the child have passed and there is now a waiting list of applicants eager to avail themselves of the advantages of this hospital service.

The illustration accompanying this report shows an unselected group of children who have benefited by this service. They look as though they had been told to keep their mouths closed for the picture, but the only suggestion that was made to them was the customary one that they "look pleasant please."

The signal success of this service is due largely to Drs. Brown, Noyes, Reed and Prince of the Hospital staff, who have cheerfully done the surgical work required of them in season and out of season. We are also indebted to Dr. Tobey of Boston, who very kindly gave his services on one occasion.

The figures given below cannot tell the whole story, but they give some idea of what the school nurse accomplishes during the school year, besides doing a great many things not indicated at the same time, such as distributing clothing in cases of real need, taking children to Boston clinics, weighing and measuring children and keeping records. Five hundred and eighty

visits to schools and seven hundred and thirty-five visits to homes make one thousand three hundred and fifteen visits which is a respectable item in itself.

Those who have studied the problems of medical inspection in the public schools and are supposed to know, claim that no one nurse should be required to look after more than 2,000 children. We have one nurse and between 2,400 and 2,500 children scattered over a big territory. If we cannot have another nurse to lighten the burden, we should at least pay the present one for what she does.

Summary of Work of School Nurse.

Number of school visits,	580
Number of home visits,	735
Number of treatments in schools,	878
Contagious diseases found in schools,	172
Contagious diseases found in homes,	166
Referred to physicians,	52
Number of pupils operated at Jordan Hospital for tonsils and adenoids,	38
Number of inspections,	5979

Records.

With the advice and consent of the Superintendent, a very radical change, long contemplated, has been made in the method of keeping records this year. A new form of card has been devised which covers the whole school life of the child, both educational and physical. The efficiency of the records has been still further increased by placing each child's card in the keeping of his or her teacher. Thus the teachers have the cards available for reference at any time. This matter of combining the educational and physical records on one card seems such an obvious thing to do that it is sure to be generally adopted

as soon as medical inspection becomes standardized in the State as it no doubt will be soon.

Further changes have been made in the recording of data for monthly reports which have relieved the nurse of much burdensome clerical work without sacrificing anything of value. The work of transferring records from the old form of card to the new was begun in October.

Formerly this report contained a long list of various diseases and defects found among school children. In the early days it may have served a useful purpose by convincing people of the necessity for some sort of medical supervision, but there is little need of any such testimony today. The records are available but the time spent in compiling such data can be put to better use.

Health Certificates for Working Children.

The intent of the law which requires that every child between fourteen and sixteen years of age must secure a health certificate before he can enter industry, is excellent.

Investigation throughout the state has shown that as a matter of fact it amounts to very little. The reasons for this are several.

The failure of the Board of Health or School Committee to appoint a public health physician or school physician, whose business it shall be to make these examinations and keep the results on record usually results in no rejections because of lack of physical fitness.

Again those who apply for employment certificates are usually from needy families and it is a hardship to such families for the examiners to refuse to allow their children to work. Many examiners content themselves with advising the parents that certain defects need correction, but very rarely do they refuse a permit to a child because he is physically unfit.

As a result of an investigation made by the Department of

Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, it was found that out of 38 of the principal cities of the state only 12 had any rejections. In the 26 other cities every child who applied for a permit to work, received it.

The Department of Labor and Industries in a pamphlet issued in June, 1920, made the following recommendations regarding the issuing of health certificates:

"The issuing of health certificates to children entering industry should, in every community, be under the supervision of *one physician designated for the purpose by the local School Committee or the Board of Health*, as the case may be, or by both acting jointly.

Local School Committees and Local Boards of Health having the authority to appoint school physicians, can assist in correcting this situation:

1. By assigning *a competent physician to take charge of this work.*
2. By requiring that a *thorough physical examination* shall be made of every child applying for a health certificate.
3. By adopting a *Standard Form* for such examinations.
4. By requiring through the office issuing employment certificates, that the *health certificates must be signed by the physician authorized to do this work.*
5. By advising, where conditions make such action justifiable, that children return for re-examination, the health certificates issued in such cases being for a limited period only."

Contagious Disease.

In February there were a number of cases of influenza and a serious epidemic was feared, but did not develop.

In May an epidemic of measles, which had been slowly approaching us via towns to the north, finally reached us, all cases of contagious disease having been reported to us by the Board of Health. Cases continued to occur with decreasing frequency to the close of school for the summer.

After the opening of school in the Fall, attendance was affected by "colds" which continued to be prevalent to the end of the year and whooping cough and chickenpox, especially the former, became very troublesome. In December we began to find children in school desquamating or "peeling."

In some of these cases there was a history of an illness of a day or two with perhaps a little fever, a sore throat and usually a fine rash on the face and arms, but in others no history of illness could be found. The peeling usually began on the ears and inside of the hands.

These were thought to be mild cases of scarlet fever and were therefore reported to the Board of Health, the children affected and all others in the family being excluded from school. This made a great deal of work for the nurse as the children were usually perfectly well except for the "peeling" and it was difficult to convince people that scarlet fever of a severe type might result from so apparently harmless a condition. Fortunately no malignant cases seem to have developed.

Closing schools as a method of controlling epidemics of contagious disease is discredited. Children under supervision in school are not likely to contract disease, as only healthy children are allowed to remain in school. No only that but healthy children who on account of exposure to disease are likely to develop it, are excluded until the danger is past.

The Regulations of the Board of Health and School Department define the proper periods of exclusion for various contagious diseases and the school physician, the nurse and the teachers are always watching to see that they are obeyed.

Janitors are instructed to use disinfectants upon furniture used by pupils who have developed contagious diseases and in the case of serious diseases, like diphtheria, books are destroyed. Greater dependence is placed upon fresh air, sunlight and cleanliness than upon fumigation.

Whenever a school is suspected of having been exposed to diphtheria all suspicious throats are "cultured." All children

or teachers before returning to school after having been ill with a contagious disease, should be disinfected.

The cleansing and disinfection of the person includes washing the entire body and the hair with soap and water, thorough brushing of the teeth, rinsing of the mouth, gargling the throat, and douching and spraying the nose with an antiseptic solution, and finally a complete change of clothing or a change of underwear and a thorough shaking and brushing of the outer garments out-of-doors before these are put on again.

The following statistics for the year have been taken from the monthly reports of the school physician:

Number of examinations,	2,914
Number of notices of diseases and defects sent to parents,	608
Number of pupils referred to nurse,	92
Number of permits signed by school physician,	570
Number of permits signed by physicians other than the school physician,	128
Number of pupils temporarily excluded,	60

Respectfully submitted,

J. HOLBROOK SHAW, M. D.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Mr. Charles A. Harris, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir—I respectfully submit the following report from January 1, 1920 to January 1, 1921:

	Truancy	Sickness	Absentee	Total
Burton School,	2	22	8	32
Cold Spring School,	2	1	7	10
Cornish School,	5	11	27	43
Hedge School,	26	15	40	81
Knapp School,	6	15	18	39
Lincoln Street School,	0	1	3	4
Manomet School,	0	1	1	2
Mount Pleasant School,	1	11	13	25
Nathaniel Morton School,	12	315	170	497
Oak Street School,	1	4	2	7
South Street School,	3	15	10	28
Spooner Street School,	3	8	31	42
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Cases investigated for Superintendent's office,				25
Employment Certificates investigated,				10
Number of homes visited,				881
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Total number of investigations,				881
Found on street and taken to school,				14
Number of visits to school,				40
Habitual absentee's taken to court,				2
Taken to court for keeping their children from school,				3

I wish to thank the Superintendent and teachers for the kind assistance which they have given me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN ARMSTRONG, *Attendance Officer.*